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821 OF 1,000 FOR MILITARY SCHOOL DRILL

Parents' Postcard Vote Shows Vast Majority Favors Training.

WIDOWS EAGER FOR IT.

BY HENRY M. HYDE.

Military training in the public high schools of Chicago?

On the basis of the first day's returns in THE TRIBUNE'S canvass, the parents of the boys in the high schools of the city are overwhelmingly in favor of the establishment of the setting up exercises, as used at West Point, and of simple military drill as part of the regular course of study.

The first thousand post cards, signed and sent in by parents, in response to THE TRIBUNE'S letter, have been received, classified, and counted.

Here are the tabulated results:

For military training in the public high schools	821
Against military training	179

82 Per Cent Favor Plan.

In other words, of the 1,000 families whose replies were the first to come in no less than 82 per cent are in favor of the plan to make military training a part of the regular high school course, while a fraction less than 18 per cent are opposed to it.

It is expected that many hundred more replies will be received in the next few days. In fact, each mail is bringing great packages of post cards. How far these additions will change the percentages as shown by the first thousand is, of course, problematical.

Something more than 10,000 letters were sent to the parents of as many high school boys. How many of them will take the trouble to reply is also uncertain. But since the issue is important and this is the first time a real effort has ever been made to test the temper of the people who are most vitally interested, it is hoped that more than a majority will respond.

Widows Favor Training.

Scores of parents were not satisfied simply to indicate their preference on the post cards sent out by THE TRIBUNE. Many of them took the trouble to write letters outlining their views in more detail. About 100 wrote their additional comments on the cards. It is interesting to note that in nine out of ten cases, where a widow is the head of the family, she is in favor of the military drill. In many cases the card is signed by both the father and mother of the boys.

"I have two sons in the high school," writes a prominent south side clergyman, "and I most cordially favor the plan."

"I favor it," says a west side Italian, "because I served four years in the army in Italy and I think military training would be of great benefit to my boy and to all boys."

Wants Everybody Trained.

"You do not go far enough," writes a man with an old Yankee name. "Every boy should be trained to defend his country in time of need."

"I favor it," says a west side clergyman; "yet beware of militarism."

"I have decided," declares another father, "that my three boys shall receive military training, if not in the public schools, then elsewhere. I think it should be part of the course in every public school in the United States."

"Military drill spells war," declares one opponent of the plan, and another voices his indignation at the idea "that my boys should be taught murder."

"King George needs soldiers. Not the United States," writes one father.

Even to the "Goose Step."

"I have five sons in the public schools," declares a man whose name would indicate that he is of Swedish descent. "By all means give them and all other boys as much military drill as possible. Call it 'Prussianism' if you want to. The suggested plan won't do much, but it will help some. And if the 'goose step' is a good thing teach them that, too."

"I favor military training in the public schools," writes another, "and I also think that every boy who has the privilege of going to college should serve one year in the army, between the time he graduates from the high school and the time he enters college. A special class of the service might be arranged, from

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LATEST NEWS OF EUROPEAN WAR

PARIS, Dec. 25, 4 a. m.—The Petit Journal's Geneva correspondent says he learns from a semi-official source in Vienna that grave dissensions have arisen between the Liberals and Conservatives over the American note concerning the sinking of the Ancona.

"The Liberals," says the correspondent, "wish to give satisfaction to the United States in the second reply, but the Conservatives, encouraged by the government, flatly refuse and a diplomatic rupture is considered inevitable."

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 24.—Robert Cappele, general agent in this city for the North German Lloyd Steamship company, for whom the federal authorities have been searching since Nov. 30, in connection with neutrality violation cases, was served with a subpœna tonight at police headquarters when the chauffeur of the taxicab in which he was riding was arrested and taken there for fast driving.

Cappele is wanted to furnish information regarding the disposition of $125,000 believed by the federal officials to have been sent here for the purpose of outfitting vessels with supplies for German warships.

No Holiday Truce for Men at Front; Many on Furlough

LONDON, Dec. 24.—The second Christmas of the war comes with the armies of Europe still in the trenches and with no chance of a truce for the holidays.

The celebration in England is being devoted mainly to the soldiers. Several thousand of them have come from the front on leave.

These men, with the large forces in the home camps and the thousands in hospitals, are being entertained at dinners, concerts, and theaters. In every town of the United Kingdom there is some celebration for soldiers and sailors.

More than 1,500,000 packages have been sent to soldiers on the continent.

Rain Affects Germany.

BERLIN, Dec. 24.—Germany is celebrating the second war Christmas under the worst conceivable climatic conditions. Snow has been steadily falling throughout the empire for a week, giving every promise of a white Christmas, but a twenty-four hour steady rain has converted the Yuletide snow mantle to deep mud and slush.

A large proportion of the nation's manhood, of course, will observe the day in the trenches and bombproofs. The army authorities this year have been most liberal in granting Christmas furloughs and thousands of veterans will spend Christmas with their families.

Crowds in French Capital.

PARIS, Dec. 24.—The second Christmas eve of the war was even less solemn than the first. Parisians are becoming accustomed to the unusual conditions imposed by the war, and although no restaurants were permitted to remain open all night, the boulevards were thronged until a late hour and the traditional booths enjoyed an unusually good trade in toys and candy.

FIRST REAL SNOWFALL CAUSES TIEUP OF TRAINS.

Slippery Rails and Small Blockades Delay Schedules — More This Morning with Afternoon Clear.

Chicago's first real snowstorm of the month, coming opportunely for Christmas, arrived yesterday, and is to continue today throughout the forenoon, followed by a clearing of the skies this afternoon.

According to the weather report, the precipitation for the last twenty-four hours ending at 7 p. m. last evening was one-tenth of an inch, which in terms of snow means considerably more.

The snowfall caused considerable delay to train schedules, slippery rails and miniature blockades being reported to some of the railway headquarters.

DOWNSTATE UNDER BLANKET.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 24.—Government measurements here tonight indicated 9.7 inches of snow, the largest fall in the same number of hours since 1893. Snow is still falling and traffic in and out of the city is badly crippled. Eleven inches fell in Bloomington.

SOCIETY'S LURE TRAPS GIRL AT POISON PHONE

Mrs. Harrison Traces Bank Clerk's Call; Ambitious as 'Climber.'

GIVEN YULE LENIENCY.

Mrs. Carter H. Harrison outsleuthed Sherlock Holmes yesterday and solved the mystery of the "poison phone."

Her clever detective work caused the arrest of Miss Valera Kiensky, 19 years old, clerk in a private bank at 1806 South Ashland avenue, a girl with visions of social conquests, dreams of Spanish pageants, and a vast yearning for Lake Shore drive prestige.

The girl had hoped for a jaunt up the ladder of society on the arm of Miss Edith Harrison as sponsor. With this in mind she had kept the Harrison telephone busy with calls for Miss Harrison.

Plans Trap with Girl.

It was a ruse worked out by Mrs. Harrison that resulted in her arrest. Yesterday the wife of the former mayor instructed the maid that upon the next telephone call she was to engage the caller in conversation as long as she could and sustain the pretense that it was Miss Harrison talking.

The household repeatedly has been annoyed by telephone calls and by false reports of the betrothal of Miss Harrison.

Shortly after noon the call came.

"Who is it?" asked the maid.

"This is Miss Catherine ReQua Bryant," was the answer, conveying the name of a prominent young debutante of the north side. "I wish to speak with Miss Harrison."

Signals Mrs. Harrison.

"This is Miss Harrison," answered the maid and there ensued a long conversation. The maid signalled Mrs. Harrison, who immediately went to the apartment of her sister Mrs. Heaton Owsley, which is on the floor below the Harrison apartment. There she called the police and informed them of the latest of the "poison phone" calls.

The police of the Sheffield avenue station immediately traced the call to the Harrison residence through the central office and found that it emanated from the South Ashland bank, a private banking and real estate office.

Detective Sent to Office.

The Hinman street police station was notified and Detective Sergt. Lyman was sent to the real estate office. Miss Kiensky was still at the telephone deep in a conversation that had lasted for forty minutes.

Sergt. Lyman placed the girl under arrest and took her to the Hinman street station, where she was questioned.

"I didn't mean to do any harm," she told Lyman. "I have read of the pretty costumes and the fine times they had at the Spanish ball and I would like to go to such an affair. I read about all the wonderful things the society girls do and I thought Miss Harrison might take me with her into society. I want to be a society girl."

Used Debutante's Name.

"Did you give your own name?" Miss Kiensky was asked.

"No," she answered. "I knew she wouldn't know me, so I told her I was Catherine ReQua Bryant. In the paper I read that Miss Bryant was a debutante. I told her I would like to meet her and then I would get in society."

It was expected that members of the Harrison family might want to interview the girl, but around 5 o'clock Mrs. Harrison asked that the girl be permitted to go home.

Doesn't Want to Prosecute.

"I don't want to prosecute her," said she. "I would much rather have her go home and spend a merry Christmas. But please tell her not to annoy us any further."

"I won't call up Miss Harrison any more," the girl promised.

Sergt. Lyman escorted Miss Kiensky home, where there was considerable excitement. But it quieted down when the cause of the trouble was explained, and the girl's mother had rebuked her.

Miss Harrison was unnerved by the events of the afternoon and was compelled to take to her bed.

"I hope the affair will end here," said Mrs. Harrison.

"Some one has been calling up and giving the name of Miss Catherine ReQua Bryant, but of course we knew this was simply an imposition on Miss Bryant, who is a delightful girl and a debutante of the season."

Fatality Traced to "Petromortis" Baffles Science

Eugene M. Bumphrey Overcome While Tinkering with His Car.

FIRST CHICAGO CASE

"Petromortis," or more strictly, automobile gas death, made its entrance into Chicago yesterday when it struck down Eugene M. Bumphrey, a lawyer, who was starting on a "Good Fellow" errand in his machine.

The fatal poisoning, which already has centered the research of scientists, had an instantaneous effect upon Mr. Bumphrey, for he was found in his garage in the rear of his residence, 4829 Prairie avenue, dead on the floor. The engine of the machine was running and the small room was filled with gas fumes.

Brings Violent Death.

A general idea of the violence with which "petromortis" attacks its victim was given last night by Dr. John D. Ellis, head of the department of occupational diseases of Rush Medical college.

"The thing is new to science in some of its aspects," said Dr. Ellis. "There have been clinical reports of cases in the east, but there have been no fatal results reported in Chicago. I think there was a case or two last fall. But not fatal ones.

"Petromortis" gives a good significance of the attack. Prominent among its symptoms are coughing spells, irregular respiration, nausea, headache, hallucinations, twitching muscles, a subnormal temperature, and the skin turns blue.

How It May Happen.

"Persons who are subject to vertigo may be attacked when in a close, small garage. The danger lies in a failure of certain elements in the gasoline to oxidize. Probably this is benzine. In any event there is a quick suffusion of a very violent gas that renders the victim faint—too faint to reach the air. Thus, if the exhaust of an automobile continues, the result is death.

"The gas death has been incorrectly called by various titles. It has been called carbon dioxide and carbon monoxide. Neither of these is correct, for we have not been able to determine the precise element that is the cause of the suffocating fumes. It is only safe to say—as I have—that there is a failure of some element in the gasoline to become oxidised. The result is the deadly gas.

No Chance for Life.

"A man who is liable to vertigo would have no chance for his life alone in a small room. He would be almost instantaneously overcome and in this state, with the exhaust operating, he would be asphyxiated.

"The cases reported last fall were not fatal and offered little opportunity for study. The post-mortem showings are those of brain and lung congestion.

"It is a subject of which little is known at present owing to the fact that it is so new in science, but it is safe to advise all automobilists to refrain from working over their engines in close quarters."

Neighbor Finds Him Dead.

Mr. Bumphrey, after visiting his bachelor quarters, went to his garage and started the engine. His absence from his home was noted by a neighbor, C. P. White, who, becoming uneasy, went to the garage.

Mr. Bumphrey was found on the floor dead. The engine of his automobile was running and the little room was filled with gas fumes.

Dr. Ellis, reviewing the case, declared there could have been no way in which Mr. Bumphrey could have aided himself.

Mr. Bumphrey's father in Washington was informed by telegraph of his son's death. He answered by return wire that he would arrive in Chicago by the first train to take charge of the funeral arrangements.

FINDS HIS BABY STRANGLED.

Husband Greeted by Weeping Wife and Search Reveals Boy Dead in Crib.

Thure Hanson, a chauffeur, went to his home, at 619 North Parkside avenue, at 2:30 yesterday afternoon to aid his wife in making preparations for a family reunion which was to have been held there today. For some time his wife, Mrs. Mary E. Hanson, had been acting strangely. He found her weeping. Stepping to the crib in which lay his year and a half old son Allen, he discovered the baby dead. Marks on the throat showed it had been strangled. Hanson notified the police and Mrs. Hanson was taken to the detention hospital.

THE THREE WISE MEN.

THIS is the First Wise Man. He maketh his Christmas purchases in good season, thereby avoiding much vexation of spirit.

THIS, the Second Wise Man, like a ripe philosopher, suffereth his wife to empty his purse, and his children to be provided with Christmas joys.

THIS is the Third Wise Man. He goeth into the byways with a basket of good things for the poor, showing himself to be not only a Good Fellow but becoming, perchance, the happiest of the three.

-King-

BOY BEATEN, MOB RAIDS DRUGGIST

Fred T. Provost Besieged at Racine and Wilson Until Police Wagon Arrives.

Frederick T. Provost, a druggist at Racine and Wilson avenues, evidently does not care for children. He has aroused a strong feeling against him, especially among the boys of the neighborhood, by objections to the boys who sell newspapers on the corner in front of his store.

The boy who has charge of the stand at night is Aloysius Erbe, 13-year-old son of Hugo Erbe, who is the head of the Rightaway Klothes Kleaning shop, next door to the drug store. According to the boy, the druggist several times has attempted to remove his stand.

Row with Boy.

Last night Provost and a clerk in his store, known as Harry, were cleaning the snow off the sidewalk, when, according to young Erbe, they threw snow over his papers on the stand. The boy objected. The clerk is said to have replied by knocking him down several times. The boy's eyes were blackened and his nose may be broken.

In a few moments about twenty young men came tumbling out of a cigar store and poolroom across the street. They arrived in time to see the boy pick himself up and rub the side of his face where the imprint of a blow was visible.

"We'll Get Him!"

"We'll get him!" they shouted, making a rush for the druggist and his clerk.

The two retreated into the store and closed the door. The crowd was not to be stopped, however. Residents of the neighborhood returning from work and shopping trips with arms full of packages paused to find out the cause of the disturbance and, being informed on this point, joined the others in surging into the drug store.

When Detective Sergts. McLaughlin and Baynes of the Town Hall station, attracted by the shouting, reached the scene they found the store packed to the doors by a crowd of angry men, women and children clamoring to get at the druggist who stood behind a counter with a large bottle upraised in a defensive attitude.

The police rescued the druggist.

THE WEATHER.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 25, 1915.

Chicago and vicinity—Snow Saturday morning, followed by clearing; somewhat colder, Sunday fair, with rising temperature; fresh northwest winds Saturday, diminishing and becoming moderate to fresh southwest Sunday.

Illinois — Snow and colder Saturday morning, followed by clearing; Sunday fair, with rising temperature.

Sunrise, 7:17. Sunset, 4:24. Moonrise, 3:26 p. m.

THE TRIBUNE BAROMETER.

TEMPERATURE IN CHICAGO.
[Last 24 hours.]

Maximum, 9 p. m.	34		
Minimum, 5 a. m.	27		
2 a. m.	28	11 a. m.	30
4 a. m.	28	Noon	31
5 a. m.	27	1 p. m.	31
6 a. m.	28	2 p. m.	32
7 a. m.	29	3 p. m.	31
8 a. m.	29	4 p. m.	32
9 a. m.	30	5 p. m.	32
10 a. m.	29	6 p. m.	32
7 p. m.	33		
8 p. m.	33		
10 p. m.	33		
11 p. m.	33		
12 m	33		
1 a. m.	33		
2 a. m.	33		

Mean temperature, 31; normal for the day, 27.
Excess since Jan. 1, 549.
Precipitation for 24 hours to 7 p. m., 0.10 inch.
Excess since Jan. 1, .02 inch.
Wind, W.; maximum velocity, 26 miles an hour.
Relative humidity, 7 a. m., 76 per cent; 3 p. m., 77 per cent; 7 p. m., 82 per cent.
Barometric pressure, 7 a. m., 30.13; 7 p. m., 30.01.
For official government report see page 10.

FRICK TO PAY MONEY LOST BY PITTSBURGH CHILDREN.

Financier Agrees to Make Good $167,000 Deposits in Defunct Savings Bank as Christmas Gift.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 24.—Joy prevailed in the hearts of Pittsburgh school children tonight as a result of the announcement by H. C. Frick that he will pay in full as a Christmas gift all the accounts of the 41,000 children depositors in the Pittsburgh Bank for Savings which was closed here last Wednesday.

The deposits amount to $167,136, and payment will be made in cash just as soon as the necessary arrangements can be completed, which probably will be about Jan. 3.

Mr. Frick was in no way connected with the bank.

Bank and school officials tonight praised Mr. Frick for his generosity.

"I think the plan of Mr. Frick is most wonderful and gracious," said W. J. Jones, president of the closed bank, when informed of the plan. "I appreciate it to the limit. My heart has been full, especially over the fact that so many children had deposits in our bank, but this proposal has taken a great load off my mind."

W. M. Davidson, city superintendent of public schools, characterized the offer of Mr. Frick as "one of the most remarkable and one of the noblest acts ever performed by a wealthy man in America."

GOOD FELLOWS CHEER UP DARK CHICAGO SPOTS

11,000 Personally Take Gladness Bundles to 17,365 Persons.

TRAGEDIES ARE BARED.

BY SHEPPARD BUTLER.

LEVEN thousand Chicagoans — men, women, and children—played the rôle of Good Fellow yesterday.

From early morning until late at night they were everywhere. Some on foot, others on the street cars or elevated roads, and thousands more in automobiles, they pioneered into the strange, half forgotten byways of the city, their arms laden with bulging baskets and mysterious packages.

Lordly limousines poked their noses around forbidding corners, which their drivers didn't even know existed. Folks left the car lines at streets as unfamiliar as the Thibet that walks through the forbidden city of Lhassa.

Down winding alleys and venturesome passages the Good Fellows felt their way, their only guide a white card bearing a list of names and an address.

Making the Eyes Dance.

A knock at a door, an inquiring face peering from the dimness behind, and the typewritten lists were forgotten. Real, flesh and blood people took their places—eager children, their faces pinched, perhaps, but with eyes dancing at the sight of these smiling visitors from another world; tired mothers, their lips quivering as wonder after wonder appeared from the brown paper wrappings; here and there a discouraged father murmuring his bewildered thankfulness for the Christmas joy he himself could not provide.

That was the big thing about the Good Fellows' Christmas expedition of 1915. Folks didn't do their giving by mail. They didn't send their chauffeurs or their office boys.

They went themselves, unwrapped the dolls, and the sleds, and the knitted caps with their own hands, held little Mary and Elizabeth on their laps, asked questions, and made friends.

Cheer Given 17,365.

Late at night, when the lists were closed at THE TRIBUNE office, the records showed 17,365 children and their parents had received visits from the gift laden Good Fellows. Nearly 4,000 homes were gladdened with the Christmas joy that could not otherwise, by any possibility, have been theirs.

Good Fellows were still demanding names and addresses when the workers stopped. Throughout the city they were out in such numbers that it was practically impossible to obtain a taxicab or livery automobile at any of the hotel stands or garages.

In all the thousands there was not one publicity seeker. No names were printed, or will be. No funds were raised by public benefit performances. Everything was done anonymously and for the pure joy of giving where the gift was most needed.

Thousands of Dollars Spent.

What the Good Fellows spent cannot be estimated, but it was many thousands of dollars. In addition to the expeditions of individuals, clubs, neighborhood societies, banks, mercantile establishments, and court organizations sent their members or employes on Good Fellow errands. At the stores special Good Fellow departments had been busy for weeks filling the orders of the Good Fellow shoppers.

There were all sorts of gifts. Toys, dolls, nuts, candy went to the children, of course. In nearly every case there was warm underclothing, sweaters, caps, and the like. Always there was a big basket containing a turkey or chicken, vegetables, and the "fixin's" for a Christmas dinner. Many Good Fellows sent coal or other fuel.

The Flaming Red Sweater.

Over on Throop street, in the 2100 block, Frank P——, aged 2, went to sleep last night clad in a flaming red sweater and tightly clasping an iron engine and two cars, whose brilliant scarlet paint vied with the hue of his strange "nightie."

THE TRIBUNE'S Good Fellow reporter knows this, for he was one of the people to whom had been delegated the task of spending the $900 fund contributed at the last moment by Good Fellows who are not spending their Christmas in Chicago or who, for other rea-

CUTS CAPITAL BY $24,990,000

Western Electric Calls Illinois Laws Too Severe; Now a $10,000 Concern.

The Western Electric Company of Illinois reduced its capitalization from $25,000,000 to $10,000 yesterday. The explanation given by Edmund D. Hulbert, vice president of the Merchants' Loan and Trust company, trustee for one of the bond issues of the company, is that the company recently transferred its incorporation to New York.

"The reason in brief," said former Judge Charles S. Cutting of the electric company's counsel, "is the fact that the Illinois corporation laws starve the big corporations out. The laws are too severe."

The Western Electric company is one of the largest industrial corporations in the state. Ninety-five per cent of its stock is held by the American Telephone and Telegraph company, whose instruments and apparatus it manufactures. Its main plant is in Hawthorne. It has branches in Chicago, New York, and several European cities.

PLANS 26 STORY HOTEL IN NEW YORK; COST $10,000,000

Architect's Idea Is to Have 3,000 Rooms—Location Will Be Between Two Big Rail Stations.

New York, Dec. 24.—(Special.)—Somewhere between the Grand Central and Pennsylvania stations may arise a twenty-six story hotel with 3,000 rooms, to cost $10,000,000. Tentative plans have been drawn by Beverly S. King, architect, but no site has been obtained and no capital has been raised. The project is under consideration by men identified with the Hotel McAlpin.

GREETINGS SENT TO FLEET.

Secretary Daniels Sends Words of Cheer in Behalf of American People.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 24.—Secretary Daniels sent the following Christmas greeting to all ships and shore stations of the navy to be broadcasted by the navy radio service to all parts of the world where American ships are on duty:

"Voicing the national spirit, I send Christmas greetings to the American navy from the American people."

sons, could not do their giving in person.

Down the Rickety Stairway.

This particular Tribune taxi pulled up at the P—— home just at dusk. The weather man must have known that it was Christmas eve, for early in the afternoon a light snowfall had begun—just the right background for Santa and his helpers—and a whirl of white flakes followed the visitors as they felt their way down the rickety stairway to the basement entrance.

Inside it was dark; they are sparing of their lights on Throop street. Mrs. P—— and the four children stood in abashed silence. When she can Mrs. P—— works as a laundress, for her husband is at the Oak Forest infirmary and all the burdens of the family are hers. So she isn't especially used to callers.

Not a word was spoken as a doll and stout shoes were taken from the packages and handed to 10 year old Mamie. There was no sound when John 8, was offered the mysteries of a magic lantern to investigate. A pile of stockings and underwear lay unnoticed while the baby with grim purpose stepped on his tiny piano and Frank withdrew to a corner with his toy engine.

As the reporter stepped to the door he glanced curiously at Mrs. P——. She had not spoken or moved from her position in the middle of the room. Then the reporter saw that she was crying. Suddenly she moved forward, clasped her visitor's hand, and kissed it.

The reporter, abashed, muttered a husky "Merry Christmas" and went out.

The Eight Children.

The L—— family was found in a tumble down one story shack in the rear of a larger house in West Seventeenth street. Eight children lived here with their mother and consumptive father, but the three oldest were away at work. Dolls, a baseball and bat, clothes, candy, and a Christmas dinner were distributed. Here the mother managed a smile and a broken "God bless you!"

Mrs. S——, who lives in an upstairs tenement in Fifteenth street, gathered her three little girls about her and sobbed frankly when THE TRIBUNE people made their errand known.

"Mary," she said, "Mary's been crying for a doll all day. I never dreamed she'd get it."

Some More of the Same.

Half a dozen other homes were visited—all dark, all bare and comparatively cheerless, but all aglow when the callers departed with a happiness that seemed pitifully out of proportion to the simple gifts that were left.

At the last, a barren, scrupulously clean second floor room in West Nineteenth street, the door, held by a chain, was opened a cautious crack, and a quaint, young-old face peered out. Agnes M——, 9 years old, and her brother Joseph, 12, were holding the fort alone.

The glimpse of a doll proved the open sesame, and when the visitors led the two were sitting in awed silence on either side of a table piled with gifts, Joseph's eyes round and shining and Agnes' face set in a wide, ecstatic grin.

Thank You!

As this story was being written late in the evening an envelope, just arrived, was handed the Good Fellow reporter. Inside was a single sheet of paper, its message scrawled in pencil in a neat, painstaking hand.

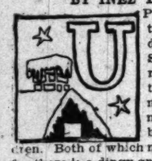
"I don't know how you got my name and address," it read, "but I was certainly surprised when one of your Santa Clauses knocked at our door this afternoon and loaded us with clothing, toys, food, a Christmas tree, and money.

"We heartily thank you and wish you all a merry Christmas, as we are sure to have a merry Christmas. The Santa Claus that came to our house was Mrs. and Mr. K—— and Mrs. and Mr. La V——. Thanking you again, P. C. —— and family."

It was the first "thank you" letter.

THE MINUS FAMILY

BY INEZ TRAVERS.



Up three flights through abysmal darkness live the Scalia family in two rooms minus furniture, minus food, minus bedding—minus everything but dirt and children. Both of which might be called plus, for there is a dingy grayness covering the walls and floor, and there are seven children—and soon to be eight.

Mrs. Scalia had evidently been occupied with a wash pail trying to clean up some of her children, for the youngest was partially disrobed and the eldest girl was busily combing her hair. The only sign of Christmas to be seen in the place besides this unusual attempt at bodily cleanliness was a dirty string of popcorn that hung from the middle of one window.

Mrs. Scalia was speechless when she saw the bedquilts, and the children managed to contain the hissing stream of Italian that they longed to utter until they saw the dolls and candy. Then they became spontaneously articulate and the din and the odor was equal. In the street a crowd had gathered about the cab—children with beautiful cold dirty little faces and women with shawls over their heads and babies under their arms. They smiled hopefully until they saw us enter the cab; then there was a chorus, a lamentation—"Nothing for 1011½ in the rear?"

Nothing for Scoretto?"

"Nothing for my ma?"

AGRAND OLD WORD

BY MAE TINEE.

CHRISTMAS! And for the first time in all my life I think I really know the meaning of the word. You see, you don't ever know the meaning until you're able to bring the meaning home to other people—that's how I learned it this year. The Good Fellows were responsible for the lesson.

"In the rear," up a flight of dark stairs, lives the Augustyniak family—the mother, who is just recovering from a long illness, the father, who works whenever he can find work—which recently has been but seldom, and eleven children ranging in ages from 8 to 1. The responsibility which the mother is unable to take falls upon the elder children and they struggle bravely under the load of it. Needy? Dreadfully! But O, so proud!

With tears rolling down her cheeks, Mrs. Augustyniak spoke swiftly to Helen as we entered. The child timorously interpreted:

"She sa-ays it iss not alwas we haf be-een so poor, an' herself she woulc starf before to ba-ag, but we mus' haf food an' so, pless, she is tankfool!"

"O," I said, and then, rendered entirely inarticulate by the expression of delight as the children opened the toys and the dinner basket, I fled—but I was learning the meaning of the word—Christmas.

In the sordid home of Mr. Thomlin I found four little children—two, tiny toddlers, and the others barely out of their babyhood, alone, playing about by themselves.

"Where's mother?" I asked. "Where is she, babies?" The oldest piped up: "Her dotta wort an' so we is here, but we is hid an' is dood!" O, I wish you could have seen them as the toys came to light! I just wish you could have seen them!"

Eight children, scrupulously clean but so, so ragged, greeted me with wild enthusiasm in another place. It also was "in the rear" up dangerous stairs—but the stairs were scrubbed white. In the one big room—I think it is all the room they have, I saw no others—a haggard mother carrying a little baby in her arms greeted me with gentle courtesy.

She could speak no English, but she cleared a chair for me. The room was full of steam and on a line stretched across it clothes hung drying. A little girl not more than 10 was ironing, her childish back bowed gallantly over her task.

If you ever want to know real happiness, try being a Good Fellow to such a family next year.

And so it went. Not a case undeserving and all desperately needy—and so, so grateful!

Christmas! It's a grand old word!

THE BOXING BOUT

BY LOUISE JAMES.

GET ready. Time. Clinch!"

Then a scuffle, a very feminine youthful shriek, and further vague muffled sounds.

We stopped on the dilapidated steps of the "second floor" rear, where we had just left a huge package of groceries and clothing. Accidents were happening already. Investigation proved that nothing serious had occurred. Merely two husky Negro twins, aged 13 and of sex male, had already extricated their boxing gloves from the pile of presents and were throwing themselves at each other with youthful vigor. Their younger sister, used probably to real fights instead of sham ones, had been duly alarmed. Only the one armed father, acting as referee, was enjoying himself to the full.

But their enthusiasm was only a part of the general enthusiasm which was almost universally exhibited. I can still hear in my ears the "God bless you folks!" which followed us quite to the heels of the vehicle which was carrying us about. I never was so "Lord blessed" on all sides before.

Following the Camera.

Over in the Italian district the demonstrations of pleasure were less voluble but none the less real. After one flashlight in which the photographer had struggled valiantly to get some ten children in sufficient state of calm for pictures there was the sound of running feet and low voice.

"Who killed? Killed?" The voices were excited.

But whether they were Italian and emotional, or colored and childishly grateful, or American and apologetic over their dependent state, real gratitude was in their thanks.

THE MOTHER'S SPIRIT

BY KITTY KELLY.

IT was gray without, but stumbling into the Moore home on Fairfield avenue—a back flat rear—the dusk was so deep that a feeble kerosene lamp scarcely cut it. The air was of a thickness admitting of cutting, too.

Out of the darkness resolved six youngsters and a woman too ill to rise from her chair. An anxious glance of hers intercepted, led to the discovery of 2 year old David, who remained patiently, at the imminent risk of being sat on, in the dimness of an arm chair. Seven was the family toll of youth—the eldest 12 years old.

Restrained they waited, only their big gray eyes speaking their eagerness, while the mother faltered, O, it is kind of you, but, but, I—I—don't like to—to take things."

No one may refuse Christmas gifts, though, so no small folks were disappointed through pride. When the Good Fellow spoke of coming coal Mrs. Moore protested faintly. "O, I have coal, enough for a long time. Some one else may need it more than I do."

These Moores are Americans, the children have bright, intelligent faces, but the father is sickly, the mother is frail—and they live in an unspeakable hovel.

The Kind Grocerman.

The Baloums, eight children of them, are tucked away in an old shed revamped into existing quarters, which, though dark, was done into passable cleanliness by the mother. The living room contained a cook stove, a table, and a folding couch used as a bed, on which 4 months' old Mildred kicked her small, clean heels.

The other room of the apartment is just wide enough for two beds with an aisle between and so it is furnished. The father earns but $10 a week. Their Christmas hopes were represented by a little tinsel trimmed tree sent around by the grocerman in which they took rare pride.

They were left clustered gratefully around the big package of unexpected treasure, 8 year old Mary clasping to her heart the first doll she has had in her life—though she has certainly had no lack of the animated articles known as babies, for they ranged up and on stair-step fashion.

At the Polish Houdas on South Rockwell street English went well only with the children, six of them, bright eyed and quick of perception, in spite of the darkness that blurred out their features if they were four feet away.

The father, reported as an habitual drunkard, cruel to his family, sat at the table by the one window, lowering over a lunch. Something brought him to his feet in mumbled gratitude as we left. Mrs. Houda came to the door and gave her inarticulate thanks by a kiss planted lightly on the hand.

TRIES TO SPOIL CHRISTMAS BY TURNING ON THE GAS.

Husband Chided by Wife for Spending Salary Attempts Suicide—She Rescues Him.

Rebuked by his wife because he spent the greater part of his salary in a way which she disapproved, Christopher Korge, 1331 East Fifty-fifth street, locked himself in a bedroom of his home last night and turned on the gas. Half an hour later his wife found that he was in the locked room, and she called in neighbors, who broke the door and carried him out unconscious. He was revived. The police were about to take him to the station, fearing he might try to repeat his act, but left him at home on his wife's plea that his arrest would spoil her Christmas.

FIND LITTLE DOROTHY'S KIN.

City Authorities Hear from Aunt and Grandmother Near Roundhead, O.

The long silence of Dorothy Clifford's relatives was broken yesterday. An aunt of the little girl whose parents ended their lives several weeks ago has been heard from. She is Mrs. Mary Fay of Roundhead, O. Dorothy's grandmother also lives near Roundhead, according to Miss Nellie Carlin, public guardian, who now has charge of the child.

"POISON PHONE" GIRL

Miss Valera Kiensky, seized by detectives while telephoning to the Harrison home, is brokenhearted and declares she merely wanted to learn what Santa Claus was bringing Miss Harrison.

VALERA KIENSKY

Mrs. Carter H. Harrison turned her hand to private detective work yesterday, and the result was the arrest of Miss Valera Kiensky, 19 years old, on a charge of annoying the family with calls over the wire.

Miss Kiensky was arrested as she stood in a telephone booth in the South Ashland bank, 1808 South Ashland avenue, where she is employed. She was engaged in a telephone communication with the maid at the Harrison residence, having been held on the wire while Mrs. Harrison notified the police.

She declared she merely craved "society life" and sought to talk to Miss Harrison, who, she hoped, might procure her entrée at some of the city's exclusive functions.

WAITING, WAITING AT 'NIXIE' SHRINE; DEC. 24 DRAMA

In the Port of Missing Men—and Women—at the General Delivery.

IN the port of missing men—and women—Christmas is rather cheerless and lonesome. But even in the world of the adventurers, the wanderers, and the derelicts there is staged a Christmas drama, and it is mostly enacted in the "nixie" department of the postoffice.

The "nixie" department, it may be explained, is described as being the "no good," the "nothing doing" section of the United States mail. Through this department are handled all the general delivery letters and parcels as well as misdirected and insufficiently directed mail.

And in the port of missing men they receive their mail through the general delivery.

At the "Nixie" Shrine.

Hundreds of men and women and boys and girls, all sorts and conditions, anxiously waited in line yesterday, hoping against hope that "nixie" would be kind. Many of them had sent post cards to the "home folks" weeks before. The message was simple and it usually gave no address.

"Will be in Chicago Christmas," was the sum and substance of the information conveyed.

It was in response to a message of this kind that Jim Bailie, who is 19 years old and hails from Texas, received his only package of Christmas gifts.

Some Mexican Tamales.

"Where do you expect the package from?" inquired the clerk at the window.

"Dallas," I guess," Jim replied. "It wouldn't be from anywhere else, anyhow."

"How'd you like some of that Mexican chicken tamale like we used to get?" suggested the clerk.

"Gee, that'd be hard to take," the youth said with a smile, "but it'll be a long time before I'll ever taste it again.

"O, I'm down and out all right," Jim confided to a reporter. "Don't dare let my folks know about it. You can call me Jim Bailie, but it ain't my real name, you bet."

Only a Postcard.

Two girls wistfully applied at the letter window hoping to find a card that would entitle them to a package "from back home."

"Only a postcard; that's all I can find," the clerk told them.

"Only a postcard?" repeated the girls and went out downcast.

Meanwhile a sodden individual of the masculine species was escorted to the door. He was weeping copiously.

"We all had good mothers, didn't we?" he asked querously as he wiped his eyes. "Wha'd I get for Christmas. Just a dollar, that's all. Brother-in-law; he's a doctor, too. It's all right. We all had good mothers, didn't we?"

HEALTHIEST MAN IS BO, WHO SLEEPS IN SNOW!

Never Is Bothered with Fever or Chills, Pneumonia, Asthma, or Wealthy Men's Ills.

The healthiest man of today is the Bo,
Who dines upon oxygen, sleeps in the snow,
And never is bothered with fever or chills,
Pneumonia, asthma, or wealthy men's ills.
So waste not your pity upon the poor Bo,
But shed a salt tear for the guy with the dough. —By Rod.

Ye who sit today at the festive board and guzzle turkey until you are as red in the face as the cranberries, pity not the slouching figure that passes by in the snow, for, according to Health Commissioner John Dill Robertson, while he may be lacking in this world's goods, while he is exposed to the storm and stress of weather, and at no time is he overfed or does he gormandize by stuffing himself with rich foods and pastries, he does escape, it seems, the diseases with which many of his silk stocking brothers are afflicted.

"One reason why the poor hobo seldom has pneumonia is that he gets plenty of fresh air. His apartments are not, as a rule, overheated. He spends his days in the open air; he eats sparingly, naturally.

"Last night there were 350 guests at the Municipal lodging house. There was not a single case of influenza, pneumonia, or bad colds among this entire number."

MANY REMEMBER EMPLOYES.

NEW YORK.—Two hundred and fifty thousand dollars in salary increases, effective Jan. 1, is the Brooklyn Rapid Transit company's Christmas present to its employés. From 6,000 to 7,000 employés are affected.

KANSAS CITY, Mo.—Employés of the New England National bank today found 2½ per cent of their yearly salary in their Christmas stockings.

ANDERSON, Ind.—Seventy-five foremen and their assistants shared $3,000 as Christmas gifts today under the new profit sharing plan of the Remy Electric company here.

WORCESTER, Mass.—The Graton & Knight Manufacturing company today distributed $85,000 among its 1,700 employés as bonuses for loyalty during the last year in an unprecedented rush of business.

RECEIVED DAILY.

FINEST

Gardenias and Orchids

Place your orders now for Christmas. Cut Flowers, Blooming Plants and Made Up Baskets a Specialty.

A. LANGE, Florist,
25 E. Madison St.
Central 3778-4-7-8. Auto. 42071.

UNCLE SAM, M. D., BUSY AT THE P. O.

Battered Holiday Boxes Revived and Invalid Parcels Cared For.

FINAL SPURT HELPS.

When that expected Christmas box fails to put in an appearance this morning don't tear your hair and weep in the belief that some supposed loved one has forgotten you and yours. Neither should you charge the delay to inefficiency in the parcel post service nor intimate that the fellow in the apartment across the hall has something that doesn't belong to him.

For down in the main postoffice in the federal building it is quite probable that some overworked postal clerk is trying to save something from the wreckage of that very box. Postmaster Daniel A. Campbell has fitted up a sanitarium for decrepit Christmas boxes in the basement of the federal building, and the sanitarium last night was filled to overflowing with battered boxes in need of expert attention.

Everybody Works.

Yesterday marked the climax of the Christmas rush in the postoffice. Everybody in the postoffice department was pressed into service. Frank H. Galbraith, superintendent of mails, and Col. Leroy T. Steward, superintendent of delivery, took off their coats and worked with the rest until the wee small hours of the morning.

At 4 o'clock in the afternoon there were only twenty-five trucks of mail still to be sent out. Fifteen minutes later these were gone and everything was cleaned up. Then came another deluge from the railroad stations and postoffice substations throughout the city. So it went all day and late into the night.

Put on Final Spurt.

For more than a week clerks in the postoffice have been working twelve and thirteen hours a day to meet the Christmas rush. Last night they put on a final spurt, and as the hands of the postoffice clocks passed midnight of Christmas eve it looked as though things would be pretty well cleaned up for the morning deliveries today.

HEALEY GIVES OLD GOLD TO WIFE AT CELEBRATION.

Dollar Piece Long Out of Usage Presented with Forty Others in Token of Anniversary.

A $1 gold piece, long out of currency, was hunted for and found by Chief of Police Charles C. Healey, who last night presented it, together with $40 more in gold, to his wife.

Last night celebrated three things in the chief's family: The start of the police cleanup, Merry Christmas, and the forty-first anniversary of the chief's marriage, 30, in the home of his son-in-law, W. C. Hedrich, at 6157 University avenue, the chief and his family frolicked. Present were the chief, Mrs. Healey, Mr. and Mrs. Hedrich, and their 13 year old grandchild, Charlotte; the chief's son, C. F. Healey, his wife, and his two children, Katherine, 15, and Ruth, 12.

"During our entire married life I have made a custom of presenting as many gold dollars to my wife as the number of years we have been married," said the chief. "This year I had to hunt to get a $1 gold piece to add to the other coins."

ONE ADOPTED GIRL OF 6 BRINGS JOY TO TWO HOMES.

Two Bachelor Maids Distribute Her Between Themselves, but There's a Little Boy Now.

Riccarda Forrest, 6 years old, has two adoring foster mothers. Last year she was merely one of many orphans in the orphanage at Lake Bluff until two bachelor maids—Miss Ruth Ewing of Highland Park and Miss Josephine Trott of 3929 Vincennes avenue—found her. Now she has a host of relatives, for the two young women have been distributing Riccarda about between their families.

Miss Trott probably will be Riccarda's mother permanently now, for Miss Ewing has a boy of 6 spending the Christmas holidays with her, and may adopt him.

COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS TREES.

ST. LOUIS, Mo.—Thousands of persons gathered in a public square in the downtown district at nightfall to watch the illumination of the great municipal Christmas tree and to sing age-old Christmas carols.

ST. PAUL, Minn.—Community Christmas tree celebrations were held tonight in many of the cities and towns of the central northwest. Wants of the poor were well taken care of in every community, reports from the Dakotas, Minnesota, and Wisconsin tonight indicated, individual effort supplementing organized charities in supplying food and gifts.

DES MOINES, Ia.—Thousands of children gathered on the river front this afternoon for the first community Christmas, and every poor child in the city received a present from a tree seventy-five feet tall. Over $3,000 was raised by the daily newspapers by popular subscription for the event.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 24.—The caroling of children's voices and the lighting of municipal Christmas trees in many cities in Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, and Kansas tonight ushered in the Christmas holidays in the southwest.

CHEER FROM FORESTS

Bejeweled Monarch of Northern Wilds Glitters in Christmas Beams at Grant Park.

Brilliant with sparkling jewels from the Tower of Jewels in the Panama-Pacific exposition at San Francisco, the Chicago Examiner's Christmas tree flashed its message of good cheer through a driving snowstorm in Grant park yesterday afternoon and evening.

Mayor William Hale Thompson pressed an electric button at 4:45 and immediately a hundred searchlights turned their glare on the ninety feet of Michigan fir which the newspaper had erected in the park at the foot of Congress street. Two huge searchlights played from the Auditorium hotel and two more from the Congress hotel, while other searchlights sent their different colored rays from various points within Grant park.

Beauty of Rainbow.

Two score strong projectors from beneath the tree lighted the whole height of it with a ruddy glow, which quickly changed to green, blue, purple, and back to red again. Not a light was lit on the tree itself, but the multitudes of jewels reflected back the constantly changing colors of the searchlights.

The arcade extending from Van Buren street to Harrison street was packed with people during the program in spite of the falling flakes of damp snow. Michigan avenue was jammed for two blocks with a solid mass of people when the musical program began. A narrow lane was opened by the police for automobiles to pass through, but the crowd continued to increase until 6:40, when the lights were turned out for twenty minutes.

4,000 Jewels on Boughs.

The jewels were brought from San Francisco by Walter D'Arcy Ryan, who planned and carried through the illuminating scheme of the world's fair there. Four thousand jewels were suspended on the boughs of the Christmas tree, and the huge "Star of Bethlehem," surmounting the whole, was thickly clustered with jewels. Smaller stars surmounted the thirty foot trees which ringed the base of the fir, and each was thickly set with jewels.

The luster of the jewels was somewhat dimmed by the falling snow, but the tree was soon dressed in white, and the whirling snow enhanced rather than diminished the beauty of the spectacle, scintillating in the changing lights.

Mayor Escorted to Park.

Mayor Thompson's party was escorted from the city hall by the First regiment of cavalry and eight trumpeters of the Illinois National guard. The mayor was met at the city hall by Charles L. Hutchinson, Harry B. Miller, city prosecutor; Dr. John Dill Robertson, commissioner of health; Ald. Robert M. Buck; C. S. Stanton, editor of the Examiner; George Young, business manager of the Examiner; and the members of the executive committee in charge of the Christmas tree. The party passed down Randolph street to Michigan avenue and south on Michigan avenue to Congress street. Two companies of militia from the First and Seventh regiments formed a lane from Congress street to the platform and saluted the party as it passed.

Music by Opera Stars.

The musical program was furnished by the Chicago Band association, the Apollo Musical club, the Haydn Choral society, the Chicago Grand Opera company, and the Paulist choir. Anson W. Hibbard directed the concert. A feature of the music was the singing of the Paulist choristers from the balcony of the Auditorium hotel, across Michigan avenue from the Christmas tree.

Twenty searchlights played on them while they sang the Chadwick-Noel "Alleluiah Chorus" and a Christmas carol. James Goddard, Wagnerian bass from the Chicago Opera company, sang Gounod-Buck's "Nazareth." The Chicago band opened the concert with "The March of the Holy Grail" from "Parsifal."

The chorus and public sang Gounod's "Peace on Earth," "Come All Ye Faithful," "Silent Night," a Sicilian hymn, "Years of Peace," and ended with "The Star Spangled Banner." The chorus sang Handel's "Alleiujah Chorus."

GENEVA GIRLS GIVEN TREAT FOR THEIR GOOD BEHAVIOR.

Sixty-one Inmates of State Institution Win Trips to Their Homes for Christmas.

Aurora, Ill., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—Sixty-one rollicking girls, some hardly beyond short dresses and braids, others in young women's fetching gowns and jaunty hats, were whirled away from the State Home for Girls at Geneva today on a Santa Claus special to their homes. The "honor" women earned the Christmas trip by exemplary conduct, Supt. Carrie O'Conner said.

Twenty-two of the girls who earned the outing are from Chicago. They are:

Jennie Rooms,	Edna Riley,
Hazel Smith,	Anna Weblits,
Hazel Martin,	Bessie Woody,
Celia Aussen,	Opal Gordon,
Gladys Deluda,	Mary Rosengreen,
May Noga,	Blanche Parks,
Mary Weil,	Eva Waddell,
Elinor Clark,	Emma Dorr,
Mathilda Holm,	Gladys Bartley,
Beatrice Valentine,	Agnes Stanfeldt,
Marie Chrisman,	Celia Ross.

They are not the only girls entitled to the outing, but the other model young women are orphans and will enjoy their Christmas under the shade of loaded trees in the school.

GETS LIBERTY AS GIFT.

John O'Donnell, Former Policeman and Fireman, Who Slew Saloonkeeper, Pardoned.

John O'Donnell received his liberty yesterday as a Christmas present from the state board of pardons.

At 19 O'Donnell was a policeman, but he was dismissed from the service following an alleged attack on a woman. At 20 he joined the fire department, and at 21, while in that branch of the city service, he shot and killed Philip Sullivan, a saloonkeeper at 1637 West Thirty-fifth street. He was sentenced to a term of from one year to life by a jury which recommended that he be pardoned.

He was paroled to John McLaughlin, 26 South La Salle street. He served two years at Joliet.

NO YULE JOY, HE ENDS LIFE.

Bachelor, Despondent, Commits Suicide by Slashing His Throat with Razor.

Axel Nelson, 3323 Seminary avenue, a bachelor, committed suicide in his room last night by cutting his throat with a razor. Nelson, according to Nels Willis, owner of the rooming house, was despondent because he was out of work and had no money for Christmas.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP MOVEMENTS.

Arrived.	Port.
CHINA	S. Francisco
MANILA MARU	Shanghai
IOCANNINA	New York
Sailed.	**Port.**
ST. PAUL	New York
BERGENSFJORD	Bergen
FINLAND	London
BALTIC	Liverpool
PERUGIA	Gibraltar
PANAMAN	Portland
HILONIAN	Seattle
SHIDZUOKA MARU	Seattle
NIAGARA	Sydney

REPORTED BY WIRELESS.

	Due at New York
LAPLAND	Dist. not given...Saturday
STAMPALIO	Dist. not given...Saturday

IN ST. SEBASTIAN'S PARISH.

Fifty Children Will Receive First Holy Communion Today in Hall.

The burning of St. Sebastian's Roman Catholic church at Wellington avenue and Blucher street on Sunday will not prevent carrying out the Christmas program. At 8 o'clock this morning a class of fifty children will receive their first Holy communion. The hall adjoining the burned church has been fitted up with altar and all the provisions for a church service, and Father Edmund Byrnes, the pastor, will celebrate the communion there.

CITY'S RICHEST POLICEMAN GETS HARVEST OF V'S

Patten and Forgan Among the Motorists Who Flip Bills to Joe O'Neill.

THE richest policeman in Chicago stood on grounds Rush street bridge yesterday with a watermelon grin and garnered the dollars while he might.

When 4 o'clock came and his eight hour shift was ended he was richer by $175 and some seventy-five boxes of cigars.

James A. Patten passed. Mr. Patten was mentioned in a newspaper story during the day as one of several big speculators who had "cleaned up" in some mystic deal that the richest policeman in Chicago does not understand.

Always There with a V.

But win or lose, James A. Patten is always there with a V, which is a capital letter, like the X in Xmas.

Also James B. Forgan, president of the First National bank, divested himself of a $5 bill.

The richest policeman in Chicago is Joseph O'Neill, who is stationed at the south end of Rush street bridge from 4 in the morning till 4 in the afternoon. His partner during the shift is John L. Conley, who stands at the north end.

"Why, say!" said Policeman Conley. "You know, O'Neill is rated at about $10,000. He certainly did get the stuff today."

Conley Not Overlooked.

Take it all in all, though, Policeman Conley didn't fare unhappily. What with one $5 gold piece and two for $2.50 each, and a bunch of bills, he went home loaded down with $37.50, also twenty-five or thirty boxes of cigars.

J. J. Dineen and T. Jeffery work from midnight till 8 o'clock, and H. J. Klein and J. McNiff have the shift from 4 in the afternoon till midnight.

The Christmas carol they heard this season was sung on a golden note.

JAP MAGAZINE AT MIDWAY.

The first issue of a quarterly Japanese magazine made its appearance on the University of Chicago campus this week. It is published by the Japanese club of the university and is the first magazine of its kind in the middle west. Jitsotaro Takatani, a graduate student, is editor of the paper.

IMPORTANT!

Foreman's Semi-Annual "Mark-Down" Sale of Quality Suits and Overcoats Starts Next Monday, December 27

A FOREMAN sale is always an event—a business-builder rather than a profit-taker. Just two sales a year is the Foreman policy—the object of this sale being a complete clearance of all the fall and winter weights. You may buy Foreman clothes, starting next Monday morning, at these greatly reduced prices:

All Suits—

now at 3 prices—

$17.50 ($25 VALUES) $22.50 ($30 VALUES) $27.50 ($35 VALUES)

All Overcoats—

now at 3 prices—

$17.50 ($25 VALUES) $22.50 ($30 VALUES) $27.50 ($35 VALUES)

All sizes for men and young men.

Fur Trimmed Persian Lamb Collar Overcoats, former values $25 and $30, now at only $19 & $24

Full Dress and Tuxedo Suits, silk braiding on collars and cuffs, $35, $40, $45 values, at $25 & $35

Carr's and Brooks Melton Overcoats, in black, blue and gray, heaviest satin lining, $45 and $50 values, clearing at $35

Finest Hudson Seal Collar Overcoats, with full satin lining, worth regularly $50 and $60, now clearing at $36

Next Monday's the Date—December 27th

Foreman's

63-67 W. Washington Street
(Between Dearborn and Clark)

A word of Gratitude

to our loyal friends and customers who have made this the most successful year of our 48 years of business.

The House of Kirchberg, Diamonds, 104 North State Street, wishes you all a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Edward Kirchberg

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WILSONS APPEAR BEFORE PUBLIC AT HOTEL FETE

President and Bride Enjoy Music and Parade of Negroes at Hot Springs.

BY FLOYD P. GIBBONS.

Hot Springs, Va., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—The banjo and the bones, melodies of Dixie land, cake walking Negroes cavorting in the light of the crackling fireplaces, a towering Christmas tree, with hundreds of colored lights, and evergreen festoons draping the tall white columns of the colonial hall—this was the Christmas eve celebration of President and Mrs. Wilson and the other guests at the Homestead hotel tonight.

The guests assembled early in the lounge, for the word that the presidential honeymooners would make the celebration the occasion of their first public appearance since their wedding had spread.

The President and Mrs. Wilson appeared shortly before 9 o'clock. Mrs. Wilson wore a black gown. There was no demonstration, except that all present rose from their seats. The president bowed and Mrs. Wilson smiled. They took chairs at the end of the hall nearest the tall Christmas tree.

Applause for Paraders.

During the playing of the "Star Spangled Banner" all present remained on their feet. Then came the sound of strumming banjos and voices raised in the strains of "My Old Kentucky Home." The players marched into the lounge.

Mounted on a small express wagon draped in white was a Negro upon whom large quantities of flour had been wasted in an effort to produce a paleness of hue approaching that of the jolly Christmas saint, but the disguise proved impossible. President and Mrs. Wilson appeared to enjoy the procession to the utmost.

While the rag time pieces were being played the fact that the president was perfectly at ease was evinced by the rhythmic swaying of his foot as he sat with one leg crossed over the other. Later while a hidden orchestra played a selection from the Tales of Hoffman, Mrs. Wilson seemed lost in reverie. With a suddenness that jarred, the orchestra suddenly started the "Star Spangled Banner," once more bringing all present to their feet. At its conclusion the president, offering Mrs. Wilson his arm, walked toward their suite.

Brassie Brings Excitement.

Barton French, millionaire clubman, today waited for his caddy to reach the top of the hill on the thirteenth hole of the Homestead golf course. Then came a wave from the caddy and French brassied.

The ball cleared the hill and came to the ground with a thud and a series of diminishing bounds, not ten feet from a woman and two men, one of them carrying two bags full of golf clubs. The woman and the older of the two men looked back over the hill. The man with the bags dropped them and raced back over the rise in the ground.

"Go a little slow, sir!" said the secret service caddy. "Your last shot just missed President and Mrs. Wilson. You can pass them at the next tee."

Tells and Causes Stir.

Barton French mumbled profuse apologies for the secret service man to carry back to the honeymoon golfers, and returned immediately to the golf house, where he mentioned the incident in the presence of several newspaper correspondents, who immediately strolled toward the telegraph office in the hotel.

A few minutes later—it was seven minutes of 3 to be exact—the telegraph key in the hotel branch office of Logan & Bryan, members of the New York and Chicago stock exchanges, broke off in the midst of closing quotations and began to sputter nervously. Bragg, the operator and assistant manager of the office, read aloud this message:

"Exchange momentarily staggered by rumor that president has been seriously injured playing golf. Please verify immediately."

"Look at That Putt."

Bragg rushed out on the golf links and up to Joe Murphy, secret service man acting as caddy for the president and Mrs. Wilson, who were just finishing the eighteenth hole.

"Was the president hurt?" Bragg asked, breathlessly.

"Don't look like it, does it?" replied Murphy. "Did you see that putt? No, he wasn't hurt. The ball missed him ten feet. Nothing to it."

DANNY DRISCOLL HOME; AFTER 17 YEARS IN PRISON.

Leaves Joliet with Good Wishes and Presents from Warden Zimmer—Five Children at His Side.

Dan Driscoll is home again; after nearly seventeen years' confinement in Joliet penitentiary, during which he earned the title of the prison's "most model inmate."

At 6 a. m. Dan left the penitentiary. Only the turnkey was on hand to bid him good-by. Thursday night Warden Michael Zimmer called Dan into his private office.

"Well, Dan, I guess I don't have to tell you that you will be a free man in the morning," said Mr. Zimmer. "You may leave the institution any time you wish. Here are a few Christmas presents from Mrs. Zimmer, my daughter, and myself, and God speed you."

Dan Driscoll, once inside his home, sat down and heaved a sigh of relief. He exclaimed for joy.

"I am the happiest man in the world this Christmas eve," he told a TRIBUNE reporter, "but God knows I have paid for this happiness."

His five children, whom he left seventeen years ago, gathered about their father and played with his now white hair and patted his cheeks—babes and children then, young men and a young woman now.

Church Gives 300 Baskets.

The Sheridan Road Methodist Episcopal church distributed baskets to 300 persons. One family was found where the mother was away, the father was sick with pneumonia, and seven children were in the home, two of them without any shoes or stockings.

WHEN THE DIM LIGHTS SHINE BRIGHTLY—

Or, some scenes as The Tribune Good Fellows take joy into the dark recesses of Chicago's port of the unfortunate.

WILSONS HELP POOR CHILDREN

President and Daughter Send Many Gifts to Little Ones.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Washington, D. C., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—Official Washington is mingling with the unofficial element of the capital tonight in a grand celebration which embraces dinners, dances, and Christmas tree parties.

While the huge Christmas tree now standing in President Wilson's library at the White House was being laden with gifts for the family and members of the household today I. H. Hoover was busy on the Virginia highways carrying out the president's instructions to distribute Christmas presents to about fifty children, white, black, and other colors, who make it their duty to give him a rousing sendoff every time he motors over to the Washington Golf club. Last Christmas the president performed the mission himself dealing out the gifts to the little ones, ranging from 2 to 3 to 10 years of age.

The president had turkeys distributed to all the White House attaches with a merry Christmas greeting from him and Mrs. Wilson.

Miss Wilson Bears Gifts.

While one automobile was speeding to Virginia another bore Miss Margaret Wilson about the city, as she distributed warm pieces of clothing, fruit, flowers, and toys. She emulated her father's example and each gift for a child bore with it some fruit and a bag of candy.

Miss Wilson will unveil the Christmas tree at the White House tomorrow morning. She personally distributed the gifts to the attaches and servants about the White House this evening and as many as possible will be given vacations.

One of the White House automobiles, piled high with bundles and packages, made a tour of the city distributing the president and Mrs. Wilson's Christmas remembrances to friends.

The cabinet members will have family feasts with possibly a few intimate friends to stop to view the Christmas tokens. Among the diplomats Christmas will as usual be a feast day, the members of the South American contingent almost to a unit having big Christmas trees with gifts for the grown ups as well as the children.

SLEIGH KIDS SING CAROLS.

Glencoe Men's Club Stages Return of Old Time Christmas Celebration.

Christmas carols sung by fifty-seven children floated across the snow clad hills and ravines of Glencoe last night.

The old fashioned Yuletide celebration was planned by the Glencoe Men's club under the direction of G. T. Hicks. Shortly after nightfall two huge bobsleds were made ready with heavy robes and were loaded with eighth grade pupils from the Glencoe Grammar school and students of the New Trier High school.

As the sled drew up before each house H. B. Boardman brought the residents to the windows by a loud blast on a trumpet. Then, led by Mrs. Dwight C. Orcutt, the children would take up the strains of "The Holy Night."

EVANSTON HAS A BIG TREE.

Schools and Churches Take Part in Community Celebrations There.

Evanston schools and churches took part in a community celebration of Christmas yesterday in Raymond park, where a fifty foot tree, decorated and electrically illuminated, had been erected for the occasion. More than 2,000 persons were present, the majority taking part in the ceremonies, which consisted of patriotic songs, Christmas carols, and hymns.

FREE.

If You Are a Kid and Want to See Movie Show, Walk Right In!

ONE of the Good Fellows has made arrangements with the Strand Theater company to play host this morning to as many poor children as can attend the Strand's special performance for children which begins at 10:30 and lasts until 12.

There will be special "movies" to interest the kiddies and music and dancing by child performers.

Good Fellows who can communicate with their families in time and can plan to take the children to the theater at Wabash avenue and Seventh street are invited to take advantage of this Good Fellow's offer. There will be no red tape. Just tell the man at the door that yours is a Good Fellow party. He won't ask for tickets.

YULE CANDLES IGNITE HOMES

One Family, "Burned Out," Spends Night with Neighbors.

Christmas cheer overshadowed Christmas sanity last night, and as a result the fire department had many a run through the cold and slush to quench blazes caused by candle fires.

Improper illuminations brought a tangle in the fire department that kept the whole force on edge throughout the night. Candles in windows in frame dwellings, as well as in the more firm structures, set fires that in some cases destroyed homes and rendered Christmas a mockery.

Plea for Sane Christmas.

A plea for a sane Christmas arose from the fire department, and it is expected that a movement for more careful Yuletide illuminations will be started as a result of the accidents of last night.

One of the most disastrous of the Yuletide fires occurred at the home of S. Kosen, 2527 Menard avenue. Mrs. Kosen lighted the Christmas candles early.

In a few moments the house was in flames and the fire department was unable to save it. The family, robbed of Christmas, spent the night in the home of a neighbor.

A blaze caused by Christmas tree illuminations assumed menacing proportions at 3521 West Twelfth street before the arrival of the fire apparatus. The candles from the tree were thrown out and the blaze extinguished.

At Malden street and Wilson avenue a Christmas tree in a flat caught fire. The merrymakers had time to throw out the candles and the firemen quenched the flames.

Other Christmas Blazes.

Many other calls for the fire department kept the men busy with Christmas eve fires, among them being these:

Mrs. Gustave Serb, 3007 Lawrence avenue, was badly burned when fire broke out in her apartment over the saloon of her husband.

At 1032 North Dearborn street a young woman, whose name was not given the fireman, was badly burned while cleaning her dress with naphtha.

At Division and Stone streets the firemen were called to extinguish a slight blaze in a flat building.

A chair standing too near a stove at 717 South Peoria street set a fire that was put out before the firemen arrived. A chimney fire at 6512 Ellis avenue brought out the fire apparatus, but no damage resulted.

There were a number of false alarms.

GET A BIT TOO MERRY.

Christmas Eve at the Central police station on La Salle street was far from observful. Twenty arrests were made for drunkenness, the largest number ever made in that station on Christmas Eve.

"PASSING IT" AROUND

OLD, stern justice, tempered by holiday cheer, smiled from the bench of nearly every courtroom in Chicago yesterday and the spirit of gladness found echo in the faces of wives, mothers, sisters, and sweethearts of men who will today spend Christmas at home.

Municipal Judge Fry presented orders for release from the bridewell to the families of fourteen men. Judge Brothers was showered with wishes for a merry Christmas by the wives and mothers of five whom he dismissed on probation. Judge Caverly released five and continued the case of Edward Dressler until Jan. 4 when the latter's wife and her 7 year old crippled son wept before his bench.

"Please don't let me spend Christmas alone, judge," Mrs. Dressler pleaded. "We are destitute. I have no money or food."

When she carried the boy from the courtroom he clasped a $5 bill which Judge Caverly had tucked in his fingers.

The Scared Mamma.

Municipal Judge Caverly was interrupted in the midst of a hearing by the sobbing of a 10 year old boy who had crept unnoticed to his bench.

"What's wrong, little man?" asked the court.

"Mamma's sorry she testified against dad now," replied the boy. "She wants him home for Christmas, an' she's home cryin'. She was afraid to come here, but I ain't scared. I told her you wouldn't hurt me just for askin' to let dad out."

"Run along home and tell your mother your father will be home tomorrow," said the judge.

He then vacated the fine of $200 and costs against Sidney Burke of 2141 Herndon street, who was sent to the bridewell on complaint of his wife two weeks ago.

And the boy, Albert, ran from the room beating his cap jubilantly against his coat.

The Bridewell Kiss.

"I know my brother did wrong," ran the letter, "but I am writing to beg you for his release. His face is before me all day in school and I cannot keep from crying. No one knows I am writing this because I would like to surprise my mother by having him come home before Christmas."

And that is why Eleanor Walsh, a high school girl, and her mother, with tears of gladness in their eyes, stood before Judge Fry and received the order for the release of their brother and son, William Walsh, from the bridewell. Later a rosy cheeked girl kissed a stalwart young man in the bridewell office.

"Bill, you're going to be my Christmas present to mother," she said.

On the Way to St. Louis.

Frank Kelly boarded a train for St. Louis yesterday to spend the first Christmas in nine years with his aged mother. Nine Christmases have found Kelly in prison. He was sentenced to the bridewell on July 21 after pleading guilty to a charge of larceny. Attorneys Thomas J. Johnson and Simon Herr applied to Judge Turney for his release and presented him with a suit of clothes and railroad fare.

Big Doings Today.

Holiday dinners and entertainments will be held as usual today in the city and county institutions. Only in the isolation hospital, where there are but four patients, will there be no entertainment. The Paulist choir will sing for the benefit of the patients in the county hospital and the Chicago band will play at the bridewell. An entertainment will be given at the county jail by cabaret singers, actors, and musicians who are spending Christmas there. The rule against candy at the tuberculosis sanitarium will be suspended for the day.

Cook County's Gift.

Here is Cook county's Christmas gift to its needy citizens:

5,500 pounds of candy.
5,500 pounds of nuts.
1,500 baskets of potatoes.
160 barrels of apples.
214 boxes of oranges.
5,400 packages of crackers.
700 dozen bunches of celery.
2,460 pounds of beef.
5,400 packages of ginger snaps.

According to County Agent William Ehemann, 5,300 baskets filled with "goodies" were distributed during the day. Besides coal was distributed from many of the branch offices.

No Questions Asked.

For twenty-seven years William Lynn, pastor of the Spiritual Church of the Holy Cross, 3237 Fifth avenue, has given a Christmas dinner to all who came. He has prepared to feed 1,000 today from 11 a. m. to 6 p. m. It is a turkey dinner, with fruit added and no questions of worthiness asked.

JAMES WHITCOMB RILEY PENS CHRISTMAS MESSAGE.

Hoosier Poet, Spending Winter in South, Sends Good Cheer to People of Indiana.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 24.—James Whitcomb Riley, who is in Florida for the winter, has sent the following Christmas message to the people of Indiana:

"Christmas means love. We cannot picture it without seeing the spangled Christmas tree girt with the faces of grleeful youngsters, glad parents, and happy bodies returned home from town or far metropolis. It sounds like bells and crackling logs and shouts of children. And even our old, round shouldered, sorrow ridden planet, with his eye knocked cut on his cheek, pauses to smile from sea to sea, and love is everywhere rejuvenated."

Mother With Toys Killed by Auto in Snow Flurry.

Five year old Norman Porter of Wadsworth, Ill., wanted a toy horse on wheels for Christmas, and his 9 year old brother, Leroy, wrote Santa for an automobile that would "run by itself."

The wooden horse, its head broken off lay last night in the snow at Kedzie avenue and Sixteenth street. A few feet away some children picked up the tin automobile bent almost beyond recognition. The toys were knocked from the arms of Mrs. James R. Porter, the boys' mother, when she was struck by an automobile and the same wheels which crushed out her life had passed over them.

Doing Christmas Shopping.

Mrs. Porter, whose husband is a telegraph operator in the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul road railroad tower at Wadsworth, about six miles from Waukegan, came to Chicago on a pass to do her Christmas shopping. With her arms filled with bundles she was crossing Kedzie avenue with head bent down in the face of the snow flurry when she was struck by an automobile driven by Clyde Johnson of 1036 North Albany avenue.

Before Johnsen could stop the wheels had passed over the frail woman's body. A doctor was summoned, but Mrs. Porter was dead when he arrived. Her skull had been fractured.

The bundles were gathered up by the police and will be held until the inquest this morning. Mr. Porter, who came to Chicago in the evening, will take them back to Wadsworth this afternoon on the same train which will bear his wife's body.

Killed Beneath His Car.

George L. Spencer of 413 South Central Park avenue was the victim of an odd auto accident yesterday. He was lying under his car on the pavement at Lake street and North Central Park avenue tinkering with the mechanism, when another auto, driven by Michael Moder, a butcher, crashed into it.

Spencer was rolled along the street for twenty feet and was picked up unconscious. He was taken to the county hospital, where he died.

Moder, who gave no other excuse save that he had failed to see the other machine in the snowstorm, was locked up on a charge of assault with a deadly weapon.

Miles D. Penne, 55 years old, of 7822 South Peoria street, president of the Famous Sales company, makers of boiler compounds, was stricken with heart disease last night and died while driving an automobile in which were his wife and several relatives, at East Marquette road and Cottage Grove avenue. The party was returning from a Christmas gathering.

James Corcoran of 723 West Forty-eighth street, who was hurt on Wednesday by an automobile truck at Grand boulevard and East Forty-third street, died last night.

THE KIND DOCTOR, THE $20 LETTER, THE HUNGRY KIDS

And When the Reporter Gets Them All Together There Is Happiness.

A CHRISTMAS jingle at one of THE TRIBUNE'S telephones yesterday heralded the following message from a young doctor to his friend, who is a reporter:

"A little girl about 7 years old has wheeled her small sister and her baby brother out here to the dispensary. The baby has whooping cough and the small sister has tonsilitis. That is the least of their ills, however. The girl hasn't eaten yet today. She said her mother told her Santa Claus wouldn't come this year because the snow had all melted."

The Letter on the Desk.

At the same time there was a letter on the desk of the city editor from an official of Swift & Co. It read thus:

"Chicago newspaper reporters in their work come in contact with cases of misfortune and poverty around Christmas time that they would like to be able to relieve 'on the spot.' They go into out of the way corners not reached by Good Fellows, benefit funds, etc., and they could buy some forlorn little kid a doll or some family coal or a basket of food which his sickness and is unable to provide it.

"There might be some gratification in being able to 'obey the impulse.' I am accordingly sending herewith $20 from Swift & Co. to be used for this purpose."

The Visit.

The letter and the doctor's message were coupled together. The reporter found the family out on West Erie street in two rooms. Elisabeth, 7 years old, was in charge of sister Consetta and the baby. The mother way away—scrubbing a restaurant. The father was out looking for work.

"He goes every morning at 6 o'clock," said Elisabeth. "Mamma says she hates to let him go without even a cup of coffee, but we didn't have no coffee. It's because he's getting deaf that he can't get work."

Inspection showed two shovels of coal in a box. The shelves were bare of food. The children said they had to wait until their mother got her money for scrubbing. But they didn't have to wait. When the mother returned, the coal box was filled. There was a turkey, there was candy in the hands and the houths of the children, and popcorn balls on the table. "Sottie" had a beautiful doll in bed with her.

POPE ADDS PLEA FOR PEACE TO LITANY FOR CHRISTMAS.

Pontiff Grants Wish Expressed by Many Catholics—Receives Greetings for Cardinals and Replies.

ROME, Dec. 24.—Pope Benedict today, in replying to the Christmas address and greetings extended on behalf of the sacred college by Cardinal Vannutelli, feelingly alluded to the "terrible war in Europe" and spoke of the immense carnage and cruelties as unprecedented in history.

The pontiff again expressed an ardent desire for peace, and said that, in conformity with the wishes of many of the faithful, he had consented to make an addition of the words of "Queen of Peace, pray for us," to the litany of Loretto and expressed the hope that the Virgin's intercession with God would soon bring an answer to his prayers.

Pope Benedict's reply to Cardinal Vannutelli's greetings was delivered on the occasion of the reception by the pontiff of the sacred college.

AUTO FIRM AIDS THE POOR.

Cadillac Company and Employes Distribute Thirty Baskets on Southwest Side.

The employés of the Cadillac Automobile company of Illinois distributed thirty baskets of Christmas cheer among poor families of the southwest side yesterday. A large truckload of baskets, filled by the employés, with the coöperation of the firm, carried the provisions from the company's offices, 2301 South Michigan avenue.

The 120 employés of Wells & Co., printers and engravers, Twenty-fifth and Dearborn streets, received $5 apiece as a Christmas gift from Herbert Templeton, manager, in the name of the company. The heads of departments received $50 and $100 each.

Lyon & Healy
The Musical Christmas Store

A Very Merry Christmas to One and All

Lyon & Healy

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DANIELS ISSUES NAVAL PLANS OF GENERAL BOARD

Call for Expenditure of $300,000,000 the First Year and Larger Personnel.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 24.—Secretary Daniels made public tonight the original special report of the navy general board prepared in reply to a query addressed to the board when the administration determined last July to take up the question of national preparedness.

Critics of the administration five year building program for the navy have declared this report was suppressed in part by the navy department and if published would disclose the inadequacy of the government's plans.

The board's statement of policy, holding that the American navy should equal the strongest afloat by 1925, was published some time ago, but the first year's building program advocated under that suggested policy is now revealed for the first time.

What Program Calls For.

This plan shows recommendations for four dreadnaughts and four battle cruisers, with an equally large program for other craft, and contemplates an expenditure roughly estimated at $300,000,000 the first year, as compared with $500,000,000 to be spent for new ships in five years under the administration plan.

The board does not state that the British fleet could be equaled by 1925 by continuing this first year program, but indicates that heavier expenditures would follow if shipbuilding facilities were increased in accordance with its recommendations.

In giving out the report Secretary Daniels said all statements from the general board as to building programs made during the present year had now been made public.

He called attention again to the fact that he had set a precedent for publishing the annual reports, as they had been regarded as confidential by previous secretaries of the navy.

The report under discussion and the publication of which some members of congress have stated they would demand he said was a special report, the substance of which already had been disclosed.

Navy General Board Report.

Following is the report:

"July 30, 1915. — Confidential. — From: President general board. To: Secretary of the navy. Subject: Naval policy with present requirements.

"In compliance with the oral order of the secretary of the navy to express its opinion at the earliest practicable date as to a policy which should govern the development of the navy and a building program, the general board reports as follows:

"Policy—The navy of the United States should ultimately be equal to the most powerful maintained by any other nation of the world. It should be gradually increased to this point by such a rate of development, year by year, as may be permitted by the facilities of the country, but the limit above defined should be attained not later than 1925.

"In pursuance of this policy and having in mind the present facilities of this country, the board is of the opinion that the following addition to the naval establishment should be authorized this year and recommends the same for your consideration. This addition is believed by the board to be within and practically at the limit of the facilities at present existing:

"Four battle cruisers, four dreadnaughts, six scouts, thirty coast submarines, seven fleet submarines, twenty-eight destroyers, six gunboats.

"Auxiliaries — One destroyer tender, two fleet submarine tenders, four fuel oil ships, one supply ship, one transport, one hospital ship, one repair ship, one ammunition ship.

"Air craft service—Lump appropriation, $5,000,000.

Manning of the Ships.

"Personnel—Eleven thousand men. This number will provide for the needs of the present ships of the navy, including those nearing completion, but it must be borne in mind that the personnel, commissioned, warrant, and enlisted, will have to be further increased as the new construction progresses.

"Increased facilities for the navy yards and shore establishments generally, such as dry docks, berthing spaces, building slips, structural shops, cranes for handling heavy weights, shop machinery, ammunition, and other storage facilities, civil personnel, etc.

"GEORGE DEWEY."

Based on Blue's Report.

Secretary Daniels' recommendation to congress that the enlisted personnel of the navy be increased by 7,500 bluejackets, 2,500 apprentice seamen, and 1,500 marines during the years 1916-17 in order to man ships nearing completion was based, it was disclosed also tonight, upon the annual report of Rear Admiral Victor Blue, chief of the bureau of navigation, now made public. The figures have been criticized in congress and elsewhere because they were below those of the general board.

There were 52,636 bluejackets in the service Oct. 1, 1915, Rear Admiral Blue's report shows, and with his proposed increase, including the apprentice seamen, the force would number 62,636 in 1917, or about 4,400 less than recommended by the general board.

YOUTH SEIZED WHEN JEWEL LOSS SHOWS ELOPER'S PLAN

"Donald Studebaker" Held in Los Angeles on Complaint of Mother After Gems Are Restored.

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—Jewels which the probation officers said a Los Angeles girl secretly took from her mother's jewel case today led to the disclosure of an alleged elopement plan on the part of Miss Maurine Ames, 18 year old daughter of the late Dr. Ames, former governor of Minnesota, and Donald Studebaker, 20, who says he is a member of the wealthy Indiana family of manufacturers.

The girl is in Juvenile hall. The boy is in the custody of his father and must appear in court on Monday, at which time it will be determined whether he shall be sent to jail.

Inquiries last night indicated there is no member of the wealthy Indiana Studebaker family named Donald.

LESSONS OF THE WAR DEDUCED BY GENERAL BOARD OF THE NAVY

"A free people ought not only to be armed but disciplined, to which end a uniform and well digested plan is requisite."
—GEORGE WASHINGTON.

BY CAPT. HENRY J. REILLY.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—The object for which navies are built is to insure in war time the control of ocean routes and the ability to use them for trade, commerce and troop transportation, while at the same time keeping the enemies from making any such use of the sea.

The best way to accomplish this is to immediately seek out the enemy's main fleet and destroy it. This is the reason why a navy must not be tied down to a coast line in an endeavor to defend it. "If the enemy's fleet cannot be gotten at to be destroyed, the next best thing is to keep it shut up. As long as this is true, the free use of the seas is secured, but of course not with the certainty that would follow from the complete destruction of the enemy fleet.

In this war the superiority of the naval forces of the entente has been so great that the main enemy battle fleets have not come out. This has resulted in compelling the main British fleet to remain in waters where it would be available in case the German fleet should come out and has limited the naval events of the war to a series of minor incidents.

Had Interest of Novelty.

The first of these series consisted of attacks upon entente merchant ships all over the world by a small number of German cruisers, which were finally destroyed or driven off the sea by systematic pursuit.

The second series has to do with the work of the submarine. Commerce destroying has happened before, but this is the first war in which the submarines have been really used. This alone would have attracted undue attention to their feats. The lack of large naval engagements has also resulted in more attention being paid by the public to the submarine than would have been the case otherwise.

The North sea and the English channel, in which they have been very active, are both comparatively small bodies of water, ordinarily crowded with shipping, and therefore an ideal field for submarine action. The same applies to the Mediterranean, where the submarines have recently become active.

Not to Be Dominant.

Also, in the beginning of the war no effective means was known of guarding against their attacks. It is doubtful if their possibilities were fully understood. As a consequence it is probable that they obtained more successes in the beginning of the war than they will from now on. The attacks by submarines on passenger ships and the subsequent diplomatic difficulties have also tended to attract undue attention to them.

While there is no doubt that they considerably influence the course of naval affairs, so far the war has not in any way shown the submarine to be a dominant weapon. In other words, the present war shows, as have all others, that the main reliance of a navy must be in the fighting ship, that is, the battleship.

The board draws attention to the fact that the United States navy has been and still is badly balanced with respect to the different types of ships in it. This for the reason that the battleships—the real fighting ships—need auxiliaries of every sort, both for fighting and administrative purposes, and that this latter type of ship does not exist in proper proportion in our navy. Just as an army needs all sorts of auxiliary troops to enable the fighting branches to better perform their work, so does the navy.

Should Be Concentrated.

The main battle fleet is strongest when concentrated and, as it is primarily intended for fighting, it should be kept concentrated. Just as an army has to have scouts to find the enemy, so does the navy, particularly as scouting demands dispersion, as against the concentration demanded by fighting. For this reason the fleet must have an efficient force of battle cruisers and scout cruisers.

Both these types are primarily useful to get information. The more the information desired the more sea space has to be covered, and therefore the more ships have to be used. To get the numbers without prohibitive cost, the scout cruiser is used, because much less expensive than the battle cruiser and with the same speed and radius of action. However, this results in weakness as far as fighting strength is concerned, so that while seeking information scouts should rather avoid battle than seek it.

The great advantage of the battle cruiser is that, while she has the great speed and radius of action of the scout cruiser, she is so strong that she can overcome scout cruisers and fight for information where they would have to run away without it. Also, she can support and protect the scout cruisers of her side when attacked by heavier ships.

Cost Only Handicap.

If it were not for the great cost the battle cruiser would be the only type of cruiser advocated. Due to her speed and strength, she is the ideal ship to attack enemy trade routes and to protect the trade routes of her own country.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

C. H. W. writes: "I understand that the general board of the navy claims there is a shortage of 18,000 men and officers to fully man the vessels we now have, not counting those that will go into commission in 1915 and 1916, and that the bureau of navigation contends there is no shortage. Which is right?"

REPLY.

When a man is discharged from the navy at the present time his connection with the service is entirely severed, instead of his passing into a reserve, as is the case in many of the foreign countries. The bureau of navigation was interested in forming these men into a voluntary reserve corps. Had this movement succeeded these reservists would have, in time of war, filled up the 18,000 vacancies existing in the navy. It is understood, however, that this movement has not been successful. Therefore, the additional strength demanded by the general board is necessary.

CIVILIANS GONE, MONASTIR QUIET, AS FOE NEARED

"Massacre or Orderly Occupation by Bulgars?" Was Big Question.

(This letter, like the others in this series, was written before the fall of Monastir, which was announced officially Dec. 3.)

BY JOHN T. McCUTCHEON.

[War Correspondent-Cartoonist of The Chicago Tribune.]

MONASTIR, Serbia, Nov. 16.—After our interview with Dr. Nicotic at army headquarters, following which we sent the dispatches announcing the imminence of the fall of Monastir, we wanted to go to Prilep and asked for permission.

"You don't want to go to Prilep," said Dr. Nicotic. "In the first place, you couldn't get a driver to go with you, and then, if you went, you would not be safe without an armed escort. The Bulgarian comitadjis are on the road ahead of the Bulgars between here and Philep and you would be in great danger. There are many little bands of comitadjis of three and five men and they would be certain to attack a small party."

Warns Him to Leave City.

As we turned to go, the doctor asked when we expected to leave Monastir for Saloniki.

"You had better go tomorrow," he said, "for it may be the last train. There is no certainty that there will be another after tomorrow."

On our way to the telegraph office we saw the British vice consul's big motor truck loaded with the Russian consul's effects and records. It was on the way to the railway station.

At the British consulate there was great activity. We asked the consul's chauffeur for news. He smiled and shrugged his shoulders.

Talkative Like a Rock.

"I don't know anything," he said; "not as much as that stone," which was his way of saying that he had been told to keep quiet.

A little later we learned that the British vice consul was to stay in Monastir as long as possible, and then get away by automobiles to the Greek border. Still later I heard that the Italian and French consuls were leaving. The exodus was becoming epidemic.

Practically all of the Serbs had left, and there were only a few civilians, aside from the official and military Serbs, who were still in Monastir.

Foreboding Fills the Air.

That night we walked down to the station through silent streets and past dozens of silent sentries. The streets were deserted except for the sentries. The town was still with the sense of heavy foreboding.

At the station there were great piles of household and personal effects that were to go on the morning train. A large number of freight cars were waiting on a siding in preparation for the rush.

As we returned through the silent streets an English speaking resident walked along with us. I don't know what his nationality was, but he seemed to have a great respect for the Bulgarian as a fighting man. He said they fought ferociously, never retreated, and loved to fight with the knife and bayonet.

Bayonet Their Chief Delight.

"Oorah! na pret na nosh!" ("Horrah! charge with the bayonet!") That was their battle cry.

The great question that filled all minds was the manner in which the city would fall. Would there be street fighting, a general massacre, or only a peaceful occupation? Would there be looting, pillaging, and ravishing by the Bulgars, or an orderly entrance of the conquerors? Would the Serbs wreak a final vengeance on the Bulgar population before they left or would they leave the town intact in the hope of again reoccupying it after a short absence?

City's Fate Uncertain.

No one knows what will happen. Perhaps the fall of this ancient city, so long a Christian monastic seat, and then a Turkish city for 500 years, and, lastly, a Serbian city for the last three years, will be a dramatic and memorable event; and perhaps it may be merely a marching in of many new uniforms and an orderly change of government.

At the station yesterday as the train was preparing to go the scene was remarkable. There was a pushing crowd of men, women, and children trying to get on what they thought was the last train out of Monastir.

Like a Fire Panic.

All kinds of baggage was heaped up in the station and out on the platform. I saw a kitchen table with a lot of cheap chairs tied to it. A little girl was hugging a cat. A number of French priests were moving to safety. One man was carrying a sewing machine and another was lugging a cheap bric-a-brac "what-not," worth not more than 50 cents, but which took up a lot of space.

Two of the American doctors hurried down and sent their bags to Saloniki, so that if they had to leave in a hurry they would be less incumbered.

They were staying in Monastir in the hope that the Serbians would pay them the arrears in their salaries, and the amount was so large that they were willing to venture capture rather than lose it. On the train was the Serb treasurer going to Saloniki to get the money—at least so I heard the prefect inform the doctors.

Women Glad to Leave.

The Russian consul was sending his children down to Saloniki and the presence of many women and children made the occasion seem quite a festive one, for their joy in leaving was greater than their regret at abandoning comfortable homes.

The first thing the Bulgars will do is likely to be the change of the name of the city from Bitoli, the present Serbian name, to Monastir, the old Turkish name. And I suspect that the great Bulgarian population of the city will be wreathed in smiles when the Bulgars come in. When I told the landlady of one lodging house that the Bulgars were coming she smiled and said "Sehr bueno"—a combination of German and Spanish.

821 OUT OF 1,000 FOR MILITARY DRILL IN SCHOOL

Parents' Postcard Vote Shows Vast Majority Favors Training.

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which a number of trained young officers could be drawn in time of need."

A physician of the northwest side is emphatic in his declaration "that every boy, physically fit, who attends high school, should be given not less than four hours weekly of military drill. They should also be taught the use of the rifle and machine gun as an obligatory matter."

Thinks We Don't Need It.

"Teach the boys boxing, pigeon shooting, and marksmanship," urges one opponent of the plan. "And teach them to sing 'My Country, 'Tis of Thee.' Military training does not make patriotic leaders. We can all put up as stiff a fight as the best from across the water."

"My only son is 12 years old," writes a Swedish lawyer. "He is neither a 'scrapper' nor a 'mollycoddle,' but I wishes—and I wish for him—that he might have the same advantages which I enjoyed in my native country, where every able-bodied boy receives practical military training until he leaves school.

"I should hail with delight the early introduction of such training as one of the greatest steps toward the making of stalwart and virile men out of our present and coming generations of schoolboys."

HOLD UP LEVANT STEAMER

Montana, American Craft, Detained at Malta, Dispatch to London Says.

LONDON, Dec. 21.—A dispatch to Lloyds from Malta says that the American Levant steamer Montana has been detained there.

[The Montana is a small vessel of 150 tons gross, owned by the Archipago American Steamship company of Smyrna and Portland, Me.]

HELD TO TRIAL AS PLOTTER

Clerk in National City Bank of New York Pleads Not Guilty to Charge.

New York, Dec. 24.—Frederick Schleindl, a National City bank clerk charged with having furnished German agents with information concerning shipments of arms and munitions to the allies, was held in $1,400 bail for trial today by a police magistrate after pleading not guilty. Schleindl is a German subject.

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IN preparing this sale we said to each of the leading manufacturers, *"If you have any strictly choice garments or materials in odd lots and broken lines that you wish to clean up at around 50c on the dollar we can use them,"* and the quantity of beautiful things we have collected in this way will astonish all Chicago. One manufacturer to whom we have given a very large business this season gave us the balance of his stock of materials and made them up in the styles which we submitted at our prices. When they were finished and he looked over this lot of some 2800 garments and saw how beautiful they were he remarked, "If you have secured many other lots on this basis and sell them on the basis that you have bought them you surely will have one hurricane of a sale." The great quantities of merchandise that are laid out from our own stocks for immediate clearance are divided into three lots—the least desirable, desirable and most desirable. The least desirable in all cases are practically given away, the next lot is sold at not over 50c on the dollar, and the next lot is sold at from 60c to 65c on the dollar, and this time in addition to that we have thousands and thousands of choice new pieces beautifully made that will be sold at from 25% to 40% under the real value.

OUR Millinery will, as usual, sell every hat in the house in the first three days of the sale, and our great daylight basement is filled to overflowing with splendid merchandise representing the most decisive mark-downs on really good and attractive suits, coats, dresses, skirts, etc., that Chicago has ever witnessed.

Don't fail to see both of these advertisements in Sunday's papers, tomorrow.

TWO BILLIONS GIFT OF ALLIES FOR AMERICANS

Enormous Trade Balance Comes from Great Demand and Sale of War Supplies.

BY ARTHUR SEARS HENNING.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 24.—[Special.] A two billion dollar trade balance is the bulkiest gift Uncle Sam will find in his stocking tomorrow morning. Wishing Brother Jonathan a merry Christmas and a happy New Year, the chief donors subscribe themselves Great Britain, France, Russia, and Italy.

In the seventeen months since the great conflict started in Europe the United States has exported American products valued at approximately $4,500,000,000, the greater part of which has been purchased by the allies.

Germany, Austria, Bulgaria, and Turkey, being shut out of the American market by the blockade maintained by the allies, have received practically none of this vast volume of merchandise poured out by the manufacturers and producers of the United States, mainly for the feeding, clothing, and equipment of foreign armies.

Value of the Imports.

The total value of imports into the United States in the seventeen months of war approximates $2,500,000,000. The difference between the total exports and imports fixes the balance of trade for the war period up to Jan. 1, 1916, at $2,000,000,000.

"If the warring nations can continue to pay for the goods they purchase in the United States—the greatest war market place in the world—there is no telling to what figures the American balance of trade will mount next year.

At the close of the fiscal year, June 30, 1915, the United States had sold foreign nations $1,000,000,000 more than it had purchased abroad. In the last six months another billion dollars has been added to this trade balance. The volume of business, therefore, has doubled since July 1 last.

Rapid Increase in Factories.

Many of the factories for turning out shells, ammunition, and other munitions of war were not ready for manufacture on a large scale until last September, but more plants are going into commission every week. From now on the American production of war equipment will be constantly accelerated.

Officials of the department of commerce said today that they would not be greatly surprised if the balance of trade for the current fiscal year, which closes June 30, 1916, would mount to the total of $3,000,000,000.

It is a glad Christmastide for the American munition barons, for the employes of the munitions industries, who have received bonuses and increased wages, for the successful speculators in "war brides," for the farmers and other producers of foodstuffs, and for numerous other American citizens.

Number of Unemployed Falls.

There is no gainsaying the fact that the country is waxing prosperous again. The volume of unemployment, which was a sore problem for the nation a year ago, has ebbed to its lowest tide. The only question is how long this prosperity that came upon the country when the other half of the world fell to fighting will last.

The Republicans see only a hectic flush of prosperity that will disappear with the end of the war and disclose how much American business has suffered under Democratic rule. An evanescent war prosperity they say, has saved the Democratic party from exposure as the wrecker of the protective tariff and other institutions builded to enhance the welfare of the nation.

The Democrats are beginning to have misgivings concerning the aftermath of the war and are giving their thought to the adoption of measures that will act like a protective tariff without bearing a name so opprobious to Democratic orthodoxy. A plan to prevent the "dumping" of cheap foreign products on the American market after the war is the sort of protection being considered by the administration.

Exports for Fifteen Months.

Some idea of the great trade in supplies for the armies of the allies is conveyed by the following figures on the principal exports for the first fifteen months of the war:

Breadstuffs	$675,870,101
Meat and dairy products	295,536,336
Cotton	121,153,436
Horses and mules	121,127,601
Automobiles and automobile parts	107,966,570
Sugar, refined	89,181,470
Brass and manufactures of brass	41,808,816
Wool wearing apparel and all other woolen materials except rags	39,727,907
Leather, boots, and shoes	38,620,723
Cotton wearing apparel	38,350,268
Iron and steel articles, horseshoes, and wire	30,115,598
Electrical machinery	26,727,581
Leather, harness, and saddlery	20,907,513
Bicycles, motorcycles, wagons, and parts thereof	15,810,294
Autos	6,656,002
Aeroplanes and parts of aeroplanes	3,884,342

Guns and Ammunition Sold.

The value of the exports of guns and ammunition for the first fifteen months of the war was:

Gunpowder	$ 29,672,903
Other explosives	53,581,223
Shrapnel	25,178,184
Cartridges	13,418,826
Total	$121,742,937

It cannot be said yet, however, that the United States is the chief source of supply of fighting materials to the allies. At the rate at which ammunition is being used up in Europe, the amount shipped from the United States in the first fifteen months of the war was but a drop in the bucket.

CHICAGO RELIEF IN BELGIUM.

Local Branch of Commission Forwards $28,000 Worth of Clothing and Material for Destitute.

In a report made public last night by the Chicago branch of the commission for relief in Belgium it is shown that purchases to the extent of $28,000 for clothing, principally for women and children and for men too old to work or incapacitated, have been made and shipped.

In addition to clothing, a large quantity of material from which Belgian women and children may make up clothing for the destitute was sent.

All freight and transportation charges were provided for without expense to the Chicago fund.

Ships of Allied Fleet Riding Out a Storm at Saloniki.

ALLIED FLEET TOSSED ABOUT BY HEAVY GALE IN SALONIKI HARBOR.
Dark Ship Centered is Lusitania.

DENY AUSTRIANS CROSS SERB LINE IN SALONIKI DASH

LONDON, Dec. 24.—Christmas eve sees all Greece, and all Europe, for that matter, awaiting anxiously developments before Saloniki.

News from Greece continues to presage a terrific clash in the near future, but most of the dispatches put the date of the conflict off until the new year. The report in Paris last night that Austrians already have crossed the Greek frontier and are marching on Saloniki is denied.

The French official communication covering the Balkan operations says the situation has not been modified on that front during the last two days. Intrenching works around Saloniki are being pushed actively. The enemy has made no attempt to cross the Greek frontier, the report says.

Dispatches from Teutonic sources fail to mention any activities in this theater of the Balkan strife except one message which says the Anglo-French military commanders at Saloniki have ordered the evacuation of twenty prosperous Greek towns between the Landzade and Galiko rivers for strategical reasons.

The British war office would neither affirm nor deny this report.

Montenegrin War Report.

PARIS, Dec. 24.—A repulse of the Austrians, upon whom large losses are declared to have been inflicted, is reported in an official Montenegrin statement received here today as follows:

The enemy on Wednesday violently bombarded the Mojkovac sector without result and attacked Touriak, in the direction of Rosai-Berana, where he was repulsed with large loss.

Towards Bielo we pursued the enemy as far as the village of Ivania.

Artillery combats have occurred on Mont Lovtren, we destroying an Austrian field cannon.

Lineup on Greek Border.

The battle fronts of both sides in the conflict in the Serbian theater of war are given in a dispatch from the Saloniki correspondent of the Echo de Paris.

The correspondent states that 60,000 Germans are massed around Monastir, with the Bulgars concentrated in the center of the Vardar valley and two Turkish divisions taking a position on the left of the Bulgars.

The French are ranged in a semicircle around Saloniki, with their left on the Vardar center and their right connecting with the British troops defending Chalcidice.

Austrian War Report.

VIENNA, Dec. 24.—The war office tonight gave out the following report on operations against the Montenegrins:

In small enterprises during the last few days 600 prisoners were captured. Otherwise nothing important has occurred.

Three Days' Albanian Battle.

ROME, Dec. 24.—A battle has been raging for three days between the Serbs and Bulgars in the Albanian mountains near Elbassan, the Serbian Prince Alexis Karageorgevich reported on his arrival here today.

The Serbs now hold a line extending roughly across the Albanian mountains from Scutari to Saint Giovanni di Medua, thence to Durazzo, Tirana, Schiar, Elbassan, Fieri, and Avlona, where the Serbian right wing forms a junction with the Italian forces.

FRENCH "LOAN OF VICTORY" QUICKLY TAKEN BY PEOPLE.

Minister of Finance Tells How Huge Amount Was Subscribed in Speech to Senate.

PARIS, Dec. 24.—Some details of the result of the "loan of victory" were given by M. Ribot, minister of finance, during a discussion in the senate today of the appropriation bill of the first three months of 1916.

"There have been subscribed in the capital $2,900,000,000—this despite the fact that a quarter of our country is occupied and has remained profoundly disturbed by the war," he said. "This result is entirely to the honor of the country. The loan already has been classified and will be quoted at a premium."

The senate adopted a bill which appropriates $1,000,000,000 for the first three months of 1916, with an amendment postponing until 1917 the application of a tax on revenue.

TURK SHELL HITS CRUISER.

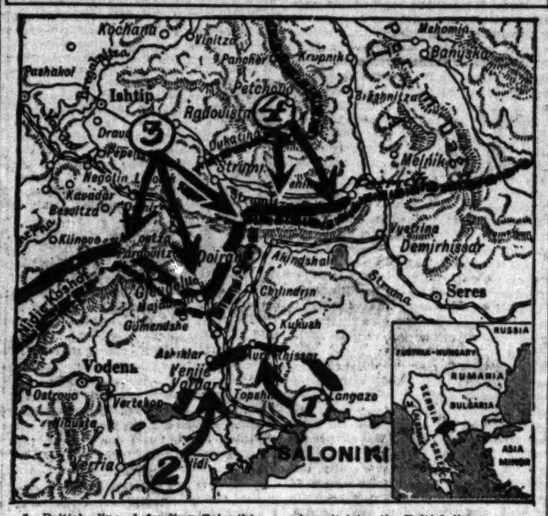
Official Statement Says Large Ship and Five Torpedo Boats Were Forced to Retreat.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 24.—The Turkish war office tonight gave out the following statement concerning the progress of hostilities:

At the Dardanelles five torpedo boats and one cruiser were compelled to retire, the cruiser having been hit.

At Seddul Bahr there was a violent artillery action on the right wing. A hostile aircraft was shot down at Birsheba.

Allies-Teuton Front in Balkans.



1. British line defending Saloniki runs from the Vardar river east in semicircle.
2. French line runs in semi-circle from the west to the Vardar river, where it joins the British line.
3. Austro-German-Bulgar troops preparing for drive on to Saloniki.
4. Two Turkish divisions form left wing of Teutonic offensive.

The allies have a large fleet congregated at Saloniki, Greece, and this is one of the first pictures to reach this country showing warships in the harbor. The photograph was taken on a day when that section of the Ægean sea was swept by a heavy gale. The big battleships and transports suffered little, but the smaller craft which serve the fleet were at the mercy of wind and waves for many hours and many were entirely wrecked. In the foreground the rough seas are breaking over the sea wall.

ONE YEAR AGO TODAY IN THE EUROPEAN WAR

French carried position guarding approaches to Metz and began bombardment of German forts.

Germans met heavy losses in unsuccessful attempt to cross river barriers before Warsaw.

Italy occupied Avlona on the Albanian coast.

British cruisers, convoyed by aeroplanes, made unsuccessful attack on Cuxhaven, German naval base in North Sea.

ARTILLERY FIRE INCREASES ON NORTH RUSSIAN FRONT.

Petrograd Reports Successful Actions from Riga to Dvinsk—Premier Flouts Peace Rumors.

PETROGRAD, Dec. 24.—The following communication was issued by the Russian war office tonight:

"In the Riga sector there was a successful action by our artillery against the Germans east of Pulkarn, and before Ixal our artillery drove off an enemy aeroplane, which was making for Riga. South of Friedrichstadt the Germans threw some large bombs across the river into our trenches. In the Dvinsk sector, near Illoush, bomb, mortar, and hand grenade fire has increased. At several points our artillery made effective practice against the Germans, who were constructing fortifications."

Premier Sazonoff, in a speech before the duma today, reaffirmed the determination of Russia to carry on the war to a successful conclusion.

"The latest peace rumors are senseless," the premier declared. "The entente powers present a firm front against the enemy. On every front victory draws nearer."

REPORTS CLAIM AUSTRIA WILL GRANT U. S. DEMANDS.

Messages from Several Sources Indicate There Will Be No Trouble Over Ancona.

LONDON, Dec. 24.—A message from Baron Burian, Austro-Hungarian foreign minister, to Baron Zweidinek, Austro-Hungarian charge d'affaires at Washington, is circulated in London today. It is dated Vienna and was picked up in England on its transit by wireless telegraphy to the United States. The communication reads:

"The American note was handed over to me on the 21st. Tell the secretary of state the answer we are now preparing will be guided by the same concern for good relations between both countries as mentioned by the federal government."

Vienna Is Confident.

VIENNA, Dec. 24.—In all quarters the conviction is entertained that the differences between Austria-Hungary and the United States, which arose from the Ancona incident, are susceptible to amicable settlement.

DENIES RED CROSS INJURY.

British Embassy Declares No Embargo Was Placed on Shipment of Hospital Supplies.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 24.—The British embassy today officially denied the report that Great Britain had declined to permit the shipment of American Red Cross supplies to Germany.

NEW REBELLION BEGUN IN CHINA

Former Military Leader in Province Will Fight Monarchy.

PEKING, Dec. 24.—A revolutionary movement under the leadership of Tsai Ao, formerly military governor of Yunnan, has started.

The Chinese government has sent 30,000 soldiers to quell the revolt.

The troops have been sent from Sze-Chuen province in western China bordering on Tibet. The uprising started at Yuan Nantu in Yunnan province.

Tsai Ao is a bitter opponent of the monarchy which is to be restored.

The government troops of Yunnan province have not joined the revolt, the latest advices indicating that they are still loyal. The neighboring provinces are not affected.

Five Provinces Revolt?

Announcement from Peking of the outbreak of a revolutionary movement in Yunnan province follows shortly the receipt of private reports that five Chinese provinces, including Yunnan, had declared their independence of the rule of Yuan Shi Kai. The other provinces named in the previous reports were Kwangtung, Kiangsi, Kweichow, and Sze-Chuen.

It is from the last named province, today's dispatches state, troops have been sent into Yunnan, which lies just to the south of Sze-Chuen and is the southwesternmost province of China. The area of Yunnan is about 146,500 square miles and it has a population estimated at 12,000,000.

Protest by Entente Powers.

When the movement to have China revert to a monarchy began to gain headway the entente powers made representations to Peking asking that there be no change in the form of government during the war because of the possibility that it might lead to uprisings and endanger the peace of the orient.

The Chinese government, however, replied to the representations of Japan and the other powers that it was confident of its ability to handle the internal situation, the powers being assured however, that the monarchy would not be instituted during the present year.

LIMITS EXPORTS TO SWISS.

Great Britain Makes New Move to Prohibit Goods from Reaching Its Enemy.

LONDON, Dec. 24.—By a royal proclamation published in tonight's Gazette the exportation to Switzerland of virtually everything that might be serviceable to Germany is prohibited unless consigned Societe Suess de Surveillance Economique, which corresponds with the Netherlands Overseas Trust, with which the government has a similar agreement. Thus the British policy of preventing goods from reaching Germany through neutral countries has been carried a step farther.

DUNNE ASKS AID FOR POLES.

Illinois Governor Calls on Charitably Inclined of State to Contribute on Jan. 1.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 24.—Gov. Dunne today issued a proclamation calling upon the charitably disposed people of the state to contribute liberally on Jan. 1, 1916, to the Red Cross fund for the relief of the Poland sufferers. January first has been set aside by President Wilson as a day appropriate for this contribution.

ASKS CONGRESS TO BUY WIRELESS TORPEDO DEVICE.

Garrison Requests $530,000 for Purchase of Hammond Invention —Has Proved Success.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—Congress has been asked by the secretary of war to appropriate $530,000 for the purchase from John Hays Hammond Jr. his invention, the Hammond radio projectile. The projectile, which is a type of torpedo, is controlled by wireless, either from the shore or from the battleship which launches it, and can be operated on the surface or as the usual type of torpedo.

Representative Sherley, chairman of the fortifications subcommittee of the house committee on appropriations, has looked into the merits of the proposition and has been impressed with its effectiveness. Senator Thomas S. Martin of Virginia, chairman of the senate committee on appropriations, also has become interested.

Mr. Hammond claims that by his invention he can control the course of this type of torpedo for a distance of five miles from which it is launched. In tests made at Mr. Hammond's laboratory, at Gloucester, Mass., a bamboo pole weighted so it would stand upright in the water three and a half miles off shore, was hit ten times out of fifteen.

RUSSIANS IN BESSARABIA RENEW ATTACK UPON ENEMY

Official Statement Received in Berlin Says That All Efforts of Czar's Men Failed.

BERLIN, Dec. 24.—[By Wireless.]—There has been a renewal of activity on the Bessarabian front, the Russians attacking the Austrian forces there, according to today's official report from Austro-Hungarian army headquarters received here from Vienna. The official statement declares that Russian attacks were repulsed with heavy losses to the Russian troops.

Russians Gain in Persia.

LONDON, Dec. 24.—Events recently have developed rapidly in Persia, with the Russians advancing on Teheran. The two chief centers of rebel activity in Persia already are in Russian hands and the rapidity with which the Russians are moving indicates the opposition with which they are meeting is weak.

Considerable distance still lies between the British position at Kut-el-Amara and the nearest Russian forces, but if the Russians have continued successes a junction between them and the British may be expected before long.

TWO AUSTRIAN ATTACKS BEATEN DOWN, ROME SAYS.

Heights West of Goritz and Right Wing of Position on Carso Objects of Austrian Offensive.

ROME, Dec. 24.—The war office communication covering Austrian operations issued today, says:

On the heights west of Goritz early Thursday morning the enemy attempted an attack on our positions opposite Graffenberg. By the intervention of our artillery and the prompt arrival of reinforcements, it was repulsed.

On the Carso, on the right wing of our position, after a lively fusillade, enemy detachments retired in disorder under our fire.

FORD SAILS BACK; LEADER'S ACTION MAY SPOIL PLANS

Other Delegates Are Discouraged and Fear Their Mission Will Be Failure.

BY CAROLYN WILSON.

[STAFF CORRESPONDENT OF THE TRIBUNE.]

(Special Cable to The Tribune.)

STOCKHOLM, Dec. 24.—The departure of Henry Ford, who sailed for America from Bergen today, unsettled the confidence of the other peace delegates, and there is a possibility of a complete breakup of the expedition.

Despite the fact that Gaston Plantiff, who assumes control of the party, gives hope for a more efficient and businesslike method of conducting the expedition, some of the delegates feel that Mr. Ford's leaving will have a damaging effect on public opinion regarding the venture.

In fact, some of the delegates, who take a pessimistic view, give the party only ten days more.

Others Will Go Forward.

The remaining members of the expedition, however, will continue on to Copenhagen and The Hague with the idea of carrying out Mr. Ford's original plan. The committee has issued the following statement:

"The illness of Mr. Ford, while not dangerous, is serious. His doctor asserts that there is no organic disease, but that there is urgent need for rest."

Before leaving the party in Christiania, Mr. Ford said:

"If I am well enough I will surely join the expedition later. I am confident it will continue the same without me and that it will do much toward bringing peace."

A message has been sent to William J. Bryan urging him to come to Europe and joint the party.

Sails for New York.

CHRISTIANIA, Norway, Dec. 24, via London.—The Norwegian liner Bergensfjord, with Henry Ford on board, sailed from Bergen for New York this morning. Mr. Ford stated before leaving Bergen that the peace expedition would continue under the auspices of the Women's International Peace association.

"I am satisfied with what has been accomplished in Christiania," he said in a written statement. "Peace has been given publicity. Newspapers have power to end the war, for it is through publicity that the gospel of peace is spread.

"Norway is like every other country. The people are all right."

Christiania newspapers say that in view of Mr. Ford's departure no prominent Norwegians will join the expedition.

KAISER, ILL, CELEBRATES CHRISTMAS AT POTSDAM.

Confined to Apartment but Not in Bed, with Slight "Inflammation of the Cellular Tissues."

BERLIN, Dec. 24.—Emperor William, this year, because of his indisposition, was able to pass Christmas with his family at Potsdam.

A slight "inflammation of the cellular tissues," about which no further bulletin has been issued, confines him to his apartments, but not to bed.

He was able to attend the celebration of the Hohenzollern family Christmas tree which entertainment as usual was held this Christmas eve in the big hall in the new palace at Potsdam.

DEFENDS SEIZURE OF MAIL.

British Government Says That The Hague Convention Made Parcels Post Liable to Action.

LONDON, Dec. 24.—In replying to the Swedish government's protest against the seizure of parcels post packages sent from the United States for Sweden, the British government will cite the action of the 1907 conference at The Hague.

A resolution which was moved by a German delegate, and adopted unanimously, excluded the parcels post from the protection given to the letter post. This resolution was concurred in by the Swedish delegate.

Under the resolution first class mail was granted immunity from seizure on the high seas, but the parcels post was excluded expressly from such immunity.

WAR CROSS TO KING PETER.

France Honors Serbian Ruler, Who Kisses Medal Before It Is Pinned to Breast.

PARIS, Dec. 24.—It is announced that Gen. G. F. L. Piarron de Mondesir has visited King Peter of Serbia and presented him with the war cross conferred upon him by France. King Peter, moved by this evidence of friendship, it is stated, kissed the war cross before it was pinned to his breast.

JAPS TO AVENGE LINER ATTACK?

People Want Nation to Send an Army to Help Allies in Europe.

ACTION IS DELAYED.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Washington, D. C., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—What is Japan going to do about it? That question is on the tongues of all diplomats who are now assigned to this country.

They are practically unanimous in the belief that the sinking of the Japanese steamer Yasaka Maru, either by a German or Austrian submarine, may result in a decison by Japan to send land forces to the assistance of the allies. If such a decision is reached it is believed the forces will be centered around the Suez canal, in an effort to save it from the blow which Germany is understood to be planning to strike there.

People of Japan Angry.

The Japanese embassy today received reports from Japan indicating that a tremendous popular wave of resentment has spread over the country. The populace there, according to these reports, would favor the sending of a Japanese land force to the theater of operations to strike back.

Attaches of the embassy were still deploring such reports, however, and hoping that it will prove unnecessary for Japan to get more deeply into the war than now.

"I do not believe the sinking of the Yasaka Maru alone will force Japan into war on the land side," said Hirosha Saito, attaché of the Japanese embassy, "but if it develops that this is part of a general program of submarine attacks on Japanese shipping then the Japanese government certainly will act."

Page May Make Inquiry.

Secretary Lansing indicated today that if an official report is not received shortly on the torpedoing of the liner Yasaka Maru an inquiry will be made to Ambassador Page at Rome, nearest the zone.

The fact that one American, W. J. Leigh, was aboard the Japanese vessel is the basis for any action which this government may decide upon.

Officials did not regard the attack upon the Yasaka Maru as complicating negotiations with Austria over the Ancona incident. Until it is determined whether the Japanese vessel was armed or not, and the case brought officially to the department's attention, action and judgment will be suspended.

GERMANS CLAIM TROOPS RETOOK ALSACE HEIGHTS

Official Report Says All French Were Driven from Long Sought Mountain.

The fighting around Hartmans-Weilerkopf, in Alsace, has not reached a decision, but reports indicate that the four days' losses on both sides have been so severe that some kind of a lull is inevitable. The Germans have regained the mountain itself, but the French hold nearby heights.

GERMAN OFFICIAL REPORT.

BERLIN, Dec. 24.—The official statement by the war office tonight said:

A nocturnal hand grenade attack against our positions on the heights northeast of Souain was easily repulsed.

The position on Hartmans-Weilerkopf has been completely regained. The French also were driven out of the trench section on the northern slope of the mountain.

French Official Report.

PARIS, Dec. 24.—The French official communication, issued tonight, says:

Artillery fighting which was especially violent in Belgium, is reported. Some German infantry which was assembling in the trenches and connecting tunnels in the region of Lombaertzyde was dispersed by our fire.

Our batteries demolished a German work to the west of Lassigny and seriously damaged the Roland tower.

To the southeast of Berry-au-Bac we exploded two small mines which shattered the enemy's works.

At Hartmans-Weilerkopf the enemy, after a violent bombardment, made an attack on the whole front of the positions recently captured by us between the summit of Hartmans-Weilerkopf and the approaches to Wattwiller. The Germans were repulsed.

100,000,000 Hand Grenade Order.

New York, Dec. 24.—Contracts for 100,000,000 hand grenades for the French government, it was announced here, were placed today with a syndicate of eastern Pennsylvania iron founders. The price was not stated.

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$400.00	16	32	64	405.60	389.28	388.80
$500.00	20	40	80	507.00	486.60	486.00
$600.00	24	48	96	608.40	583.92	583.20
$700.00	28	56	112	709.80	681.24	680.40
$800.00	32	64	128	811.20	778.56	777.60
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Daily		Sunday	
1908	171,032	1908	296,816
1909	174,074	1909	300,009
1910	234,111	1910	357,845
1911	236,226	1911	363,465
1912	246,061	1912	366,977
1913	259,958	1913	392,564
1914	316,761	1914	524,800
*1915	354,520	*1915	558,396
Growth in 7 years	183,488	Growth in 7 years	261,580

*Average for six months ending Sept. 30, 1915.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 25, 1915.

"Our Country! In her intercourse with foreign nations may she always be in the right; but our country, right or wrong."
—Stephen Decatur.

THE DECLINE OF THE MISTLETOE

No one would dare think of going through Christmas without a sprig of mistletoe. It is an indispensable symbol, a supposititious justification (in certain circumstances) of a popular form of demonstrating affection. It is wired conspicuously and with a kind of bravado to the chandelier. And there it remains, a kind of dare to both trousered and skirted youth throughout the holidays.

But in this city, at any rate, its use is chiefly psychological. Its aim is rarely consummated physically except among the most daring. When it is, the result is likely to be both cold and puritanical or hot and indignant. There is no good in it. Its excitation is wholly in its possibilities. It is not put to the test. At the most, it makes obligatory the bussing of those whom we would kiss anyway because of consanguinity.

This Christmas is even harder on the mistletoe. For, added to the weight of custom, which can change our fastidious but fascinating beauties into raging tigresses, is the weight of medical opinion, which, owing to the prevalence of the grip, exhorts us to abjure unnecessary osculation.

The mistletoe is hanging by a thread. Once sanctified and later considered medicinal, it is now illicit and conducive to the dissemination of germs. It will hang, a dead symbol, from the chandelier.

CANNING IDEAS.

Theodore Roosevelt's designation of Mr. Wilson as a Byzantine logothete may turn out to be another addition to the vocabulary of the man on the street. It has not, to be sure, the quick and easy applicability of hyphenated American and big stick, but it may take its place beside Cleveland's inocuous desuetude. If it really takes hold it will do President Wilson more damage politically than his remarriage.

For it is these phrases and not the academical arguments, however nicely phrased, that convince a democracy. Any one who wants wealth or power in the United States must perforce can something. It holds good from music to phrases. And, although reformers like B. L. T. succeed in isolating a few and immuring them in jars, there seem to be plenty for general use. Canned phrases are, for that matter, used almost exclusively. Any one who wants to be articulate beyond a small circle of illuminati must embalm his ideas in this fashion. It is thought dispensed in candied pills. The allopath in ideas does not get very far.

The phrasemakers really perform an important function in democracy. They do not, perhaps, think on their own account, but they sugar the thought of others and disseminate it broadcast.

A good example in the field of morals is the unspeakable vulgarism, "I love my wife, but O, you kid." It means a good deal more than a lecturer on social mental attitudes could tell us in an hour. The first part of the phrase takes off the curse from the last. What would be merely a rough and somewhat gibing method of acquaintance to no good purpose is thereby limited to a somewhat unconventional harmlessness. As a phrase it is a work of art because it shows precisely and intelligibly the attitude of some American men toward matrimony.

We hesitate to think what would happen without the despised embalmer of ideas. We suspect that it would plunge the multitude into vast and lasting silence. There would be no barroom chat and the tea table as a social function would vanish. And editorial writers, if they found themselves able to think at all, would be entirely at a loss how to express themselves intelligibly.

INTERNATIONAL FRICTION.

A good deal of our discussion over the war has been philosophic. We are invited to view the conflict as a struggle between two great systems of civilization, even two great philosophies of life. This branch of the discussion has a certain value as making us aware of the forces shaping the spiritual life of peoples and to some extent their institutions. In the warring countries it has unquestionable pragmatic value as a part of the higher discipline, the spiritual strategy of war, when every means is called on to deepen national consciousness and to steel the national will.

With us, however, it has the disadvantage of obscuring or at any rate of distracting us from those aspects of the European situation which more immediately concern our own international problems. It is profitable to study the great synthesis which the Germans call their "kultur" and to try to know the nature and genius of all the nations at war. But we need more to understand the immediate motivation of international rivalries and relations in order that we may make our own way and sustain our place among them.

As a contribution to this end a book like Mr. Walter Lippmann's "The Stakes of Diplomacy" is extremely welcome. The author takes as his text a weighty generalisation of Admiral Mahan, who in his work on "Force in International Relations" says: "It is the great amount of unexploited raw material in territories politically backward, and now imperfectly possessed by the nominal owners, which at the present moment constitutes the temptation and the impulse to war of European states." Mr. Lippmann's able elaboration of this theme is in refreshing contrast to the pacifism which infects the national thought at this time. We may be sure that if we are after peace we shall not have it by turning our back on war. Mr. Lippmann offers us the basis of a constructive foreign policy which is intelligently possible because it does not shirk the facts of international relations or try to achieve peace through a transformation of human nature.

This policy proposes the substitution of a more democratic and pacific imperialism for the type which has prevailed. The older imperialism has benefited comparatively small groups in a few nations—the great bankers, the adventurers, the bureaucrats. These groups will dominate so long as the backward countries show big risks, exorbitant profits, and general security. Mr. Lippmann suggests that international organization of the regions of exploitation might be possible somewhat on the lines of the plan evolved at Algeciras for Morocco. While this failed, it does not follow such a plan has not the basis of a successful evolution under the more favorable circumstances we all hope will emerge from Europe's terrible experience.

Mr. Lippmann's book is, however, of chief value to Americans at this moment as a hopeful yet realistic discussion of the actual mechanics of international relations. If we had a benevolent despotism over our national mind at this time it would decree the enforced reading of Mr. Lippmann's book, Admiral Mahan's "Force in International Relations," and Morton Fullerton's "Problems of Power." They are much needed antidotes to the naïve theorising of most American internationalists.

CITIZENS OR INHABITANTS?

The theory on which our schools are established is that education is a public benefit. We are so sure of the value of our theory that we have laws making people send their children to school. We justify the enormous expenditure on the ground that we are making citizens out of mere inhabitants. The assumption is that we are giving our children riches that they may be able to contribute services intelligently and with effective unanimity toward the future welfare of the nation.

Do we teach the children why they are being educated and impress upon them the purpose and aim of all this effort? We do teach them some things. We teach them American history after a fashion, and there are courses of civics in the higher schools where the mechanism of the government is taught. We hold up to the children our ancestors as paragons of every sort of excellency, assert their bravery, their efficiency, and their acumen. We teach them that life is better in the United States than it is in any other part of the world.

We scarcely give them a hint, however, of what all this education is for. They not unnaturally assume that it is for their own personal good. The idea of making a return in any form is rarely inculcated.

Patriotism is taught after a fashion. But it is the patriotism of Brag and not the patriotism of Do. For our school histories teach a kind of ancestor worship almost as debilitating as that of China. Our ancestors, courageous and brave as they were, are sedative, not inspiring. We teach children to be proud of our ancestors, but we fail to outline any definite means of being worthy of them. Service to the United States is regarded in many quarters as an exaction, irksome and not often justified. It may well be asked whether we are not training our children to be good inhabitants instead of good citizens.

If children can be made to feel when they enter school that they are taking upon themselves a trust, assuming certain responsibilities toward the nation and through the nation as a potent weapon for good assuming responsibilities toward the world, then education in the United States will be a success.

JAPAN AND ENGLAND.

Japan is no longer satisfied with the English. Editorials in the vernacular press, the translations of which have recently arrived in this country, show a spirit which is querulous though not hostile. Count Okuma has been severely criticized for signing the agreement with the entente allies not to conclude a separate peace. Japan is beginning to wonder what her position will be if Germany wins. She feels that all her eggs are in one basket and that the basket is now in the custody of the grand fleet of England.

But, worst of all, Japan knows that if England wins, a large part of the Japanese advantage in far eastern trade will be jeopardized. For it is the English market that Japan has cut into. The Manchester Guardian reports large inroads from Japanese competition and asks whether it would be possible to ask a Manchester weaver to work twelve hours for 9 pence—the present wage in the Japanese labor market. Japan is getting large amounts of cotton from the United States, turning it into cloth, and underselling the English. Her concessions in China and her reported incursions into the Yang Tse territory, hitherto regarded by the English as their exclusive sphere, will not remain unchallenged by English competition.

Japan does not want us in the orient, either. She appreciates that if it came to choosing between the United States and Japan, England would probably pick the United States. Our presence in the Philippine islands and in Hawaii gives us certain rights in the far east which make our presence uncomfortable. And Japan cannot but interpret our rather tolerant attitude toward England and our intolerant attitude toward Germany—as recent Washington dispatches indicated—an intention to divide the world trade with England after the war.

Probably there is little friction between Japan and England, but the sources of friction are there. And Japan is preparing. Peace will probably show a different alignment. From many sources come indications that Japan is growing more and more friendly with Russia. Their interests no longer run counter.

If we did not occupy the Philippines and were content with attempting to keep the Monroe doctrine intact, there would be no difficulty between the United States and Japan. Without any interests in the far east, England could not call upon us to support her in the orient effectively. But the Philippines give us an admirable opportunity to dabble in oriental affairs. It is known that Japan sees danger in our presence. If we were eliminated, Japan might hope to deal with England. But with the humanitarian United States in the way also, her national aspirations may be checked. It will be well to remember that England on good terms with Japan was a bulwark for us. Russia will not have the same restraining influence.

Editorial of the Day

TAXING TOOTH PASTE.

[From the New York Tribune.]

Is tooth paste a luxury? Are those countless individuals in this fair land who scrub their molars faithfully morning, noon, and night mere victims of sybaritic habits, or are they, as the advertisements and dentists aver, consistent advocates of preparedness, guarding their systems from invasion by enemies at one of the chief danger points? Congress will soon have to answer. At present tooth paste, officially, is a luxury, taxed as such for the last year, along with perfumes, talcum powders, and many other adjuncts of the dressing room and the toilet table, under the special war revenue raiser. And tooth paste will remain, officially, a luxury if that tax be continued, as is now proposed.

A LINE O'TYPE OR TWO.

Motto: How to the Line, let the quips fall where they may.

ON CHRISTMAS DAY.

On Christmas Day, "lest we forget,"
And be with doubt and gloom beset,
Lest we see only leaden skies,
Nor look beyond, where heaven lies,
And lend our souls to care and fret—

The path we came was flowery, yet
There Dread and Death have both been met.
Must we still forward fix our eyes
On Christmas Day?—

Forgive and never count the debt;
Regard the promise, not the threat;
Be glad at morning's swift surprise
Of sunset's rose and saffron dyes—
Even though our eyes with tears be wet
On Christmas Day.

M. L. W.

WHILE distributing grub, clothes, and toys to fourteen children in the sawed-off shotgun neighborhood yesterday the thing that impressed us was the happy faces of the youngsters. They had absolutely nothing, yet were gay as daffodils.

Nouveau Riche.

Sir: It is always a pleasure to see an old friend attain the eminence supposedly due to merit. It was with keen gratification, therefore, that I recognized my old acquaintance "B. P." in no less distinguished a position than the menu of the Blackstone. But we cannot all accept high honors with becoming humility. My good old B. P. now disguises himself as "Pudding Diplomat," and you have to part with 40 cents to renew the acquaintance. G. S. P.

STANDING with clairvoyant feet where the past and future meet, Senator Lewis predicts that "the interests will nominate Roosevelt at the Republican convention." Mebbe. But we find it difficult to repose confidence in a prophet who wears pink portières.

OR WHAT HE HAS RATS IN HIS MACHINERY.

[From the Ohio, Ill., Times.]

When a business (?) man will stop patronizing his home paper simply because he does not agree with the editor on political issues indicates that his belfry is short a few peg wheels.

SOME parts of Scandinavia report 42 below zero, and Mr. Ford says it was all of that.

WE USED TO BUY OF THE MINGLESLATE CO.

Sir: Do you think the Minglewood Coal company of Worcester, O., can be doing business on the level? W. B. L.

"DO pronounce Przybyszewski correctly, says a writer in the Lit Review, "that you may hear the sound of rain swishing through tall grass." Better still, puzzle around in the wet grass till your feet are soaked. This may develop a cold and you may then sneeze Przybyszewski perfectly.

Overheard on the Elevated.

"The cunningest dog came to us this week."

"You don't mean it! What did Baby think of him?"

"My dear, she was frightened to death. She fairly screamed every time he came into the room, and was so nervous all night she hardly slept a wink."

"Then you didn't keep the dog, did you?"

"No, we advertised him, but no one called, so we gave him to a young man in the neighborhood."

"What kind of dog was he?"

"Oh, just the same kind as Baby, only larger."

I. F. G.

THE Warren County library advertises in its list of new books: "A. C. Benson: From a College Widow. [Essays]."

A REALLY INSPIRED REPORTER.

(A big story, covered simply, and containing few adjectives.)

AND there were in the same country shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flocks by night.

And, lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them: and they were sore afraid.

And the angel said unto them, Fear not: for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people.

For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord.

And this shall be a sign unto you; Ye shall find the babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a manger.

And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God, and saying,

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men.

THE Greek premier wishes to retire in favor of a younger man. Does that mean action?

THE VERSATILE 4D.

[From the Two Buttes, Col., Sentinel.]

E. M. Terry and the Lits brothers ran down a coyote with a Ford car Thursday.

T. S. T. Y.

Dear Sir: Although this good old sphere
Seems sadly out of whack, askew,
Undignified; in short, looks queer,
And black and blue,—

Though "peace on earth's" a stagnant issue,
And always there is that or this muss,
I take my quill in hand to wish you
Merry Christmas! P. D. A.

MR. HENRY FORD, the well known Meal Ticket, is on his way home, looking like the meal ticket that the lumberjack stepped on.

THE SECOND POST.

[Received by the Cedar Falls, Ia., Record.]

This morning we received a bill saying we owe you 4 dollars for your paper, it must be the limit that's a paper we never subscribed for it was sent to us by some one in a contest I think, and who ever did that had there reasons I think we don't know a solo out there or ever open the paper so who ever favor it on us kindly ask them to pay for it for we never intend to send one cent for something we never ordered. Respect fully, etc.

It Seems to Soak.

Sir: The reporter that wrote this claims it is absolutely proper. We leave it to you:

"During the most difficult stage of the task of cleaning a chicken the fowl slipped and threw a butcher knife that she was using across Mrs. Blank's hand, cutting the flesh and severing the tendons." R. W. F.

THE National Builder has an illustration of a living room "large enough to be comfortable with a considerable gathering." Sounds like a boil.

WE'LL TAKE THE MATTER UP WITH THE FOREMAN.

Sir: When you get that new head for the Line, why not have a space put between the apostrophe and the T? C. S.

"'SOME of them would make Nero look like a pickey,' declared a member of the commission."—The American.

Nero, as we recall his history, was considerable picker.

BOZO SPARK PLUG.

[From the Eagle Grove, Ia., Eagle.]

O. O. Sanderson has built a new garage for their driving horse.

ADD HARVARD IDIOMS.

Sir: When asked where the key was someone said: "It's not where it regular is." H. B.

A WHITE Christmas and a merry one!

E. L. E.

How to Keep Well. By Dr. W. A. Evans

Questions pertinent to hygiene, sanitation, and prevention of disease of matters of general interest, will be answered in this column. Where space will not permit or the subject is not suitable, letters will be personally answered, subject to proper limitations and where a stamped, addressed envelope is inclosed. Dr. Evans will not make diagnoses or prescribe for individual diseases. Requests for such service cannot be answered.

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GET OUT DOORS!

THIS is being written during the first good snowstorm of the winter. The ground is cold enough to hold the snow. Snow has fallen for twenty-four hours. This morning there is little wind, the temperature is not much below freezing and the snow is coming down in a steady fall. At noon the streets were filled with people returning from church. Few automobiles were out. Most of the people on the boulevards were walking. Many people wearing heavier shoes, warm head dress and gloves, were prolonging their outings by a rapid walk through the park. Their cheeks were red and they walked with a snap.

This prompted the thought that somebody ought to try to get the people out of doors during snows. Somebody ought to try to persuade the people at large to follow the example of the society people who were walking (and of those who were riding) through the parks and along the boulevards this morning. And why?

In the first place, in order to get out of the house. Houses are hot and dry, and therefore to be escaped from whenever a fair chance is offered. A walk in a snowstorm is something more than a fair chance. It is good for blackheads, pimples and bumps on the face. That statement ought to get many of the boys and some of the girls out. The combination of snow striking the face and general muscular exertion fills the skin with blood. The cheeks become rosy red. A rainstorm is good for this, but a snowstorm is better.

It is good for biliousness. That statement ought to get some of the older folks out. A heavy Sunday dinner, an afternoon nap and a day spent indoors is about the best way to bring about a blue, bilious Monday. A walk in a snowstorm is a fine antidote. It is used by our best families.

It is good for lumbago. That statement ought to get another group out. People who do inside work need to exercise their muscles.

Suppose we subtract the weight of the bones from the total weight. Of the net weight (bones subtracted) the muscles make up about four-fifths. Since the muscles make up so much of the body they must be kept fit. What chance for keeping fit have the muscles of office workers, indoor workers generally, unemployed women and workers at most of the trades? They get lumbago, cricks in the back, and stiff joints. They need a chance to limber up as well as a chance to exercise. What is better than walking in the snow? Better than walking on a smooth pavement on a warmer day. The less secure footing brings more muscles into play. The opposition is greater and therefore exercise is given more muscles. The cold contributes its portion of helpfulness.

ANGINA PECTORIS SYMPTOMS.

J. H. M. writes: "Will you please tell me what are the symptoms of the disease called by the doctors angina pectoris. Some of the physicians that I have consulted pronounce my trouble angina pectoris, while others have told me it is rheumatism. I have an oppressed feeling in the upper part of my chest and a painful feeling extending into my shoulders and down my arms to the elbow, more painful in the left arm. This feeling almost wholly disappears by noon of each day. The oppressive feeling in my chest is aggravated by rapid walking or exertion, which is relieved by a short period of rest. I have had this trouble for over two years and it is not so bad now as a year ago. A thick mucous accumulates in my throat, or bronchial tubes, but does not appear so bad as formerly.

"Will sincerely appreciate a description of the symptoms of angina pectoris, and if not in violation of your rules, a prognosis in this kind of case, and such other advice as you are willing to give."

REPLY.

It seems clear that you have angina pectoris. The symptoms noted in you constitute a very good description of a mild variety of angina caused by an impaired heart, occurring in a person more than 40 years of age, except that you have it every morning and have had for two years. Have your physician take your blood pressure and examine your heart. There is a good chance that he can alter some of your habits such as eating, drinking, and smoking, and give you relief.

BABY'S DIET.

Young mothers asks: "My baby boy at three months weighed thirteen pounds. 1. Is that under weight? What is the average and average gain per month? 2. He is breast fed. When could I begin to feed and what should I give him? 3. How much water ought a baby of that age to have in a day? 4. Is there anything I could feed him that will prevent constipation, as he suffers so much with it? Would orange juice or scraped apple hurt him? 5. Some say let him begin to taste almost anything I eat, but I don't think that safe. Do you?"

REPLY.

1. No. Thirteen pounds is right for his age. For the next three months he should gain about a pound and a half a month.

2. Keep him at the breast until he is 9 months old. Do not give him any food except breast milk, if you have enough milk, until he is about that age.

3. Give him several ounces.

4. You should eat a lot of fruit and vegetables. If this does not give him relief give him orange juice. He is too young for scraped apple.

5. No.

LA MARQUISE DE FONTENOY.

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NOW that King Alfonso, following the example of his new premier and intimate friend, Count Romanones, is actively engaged in the formation of a large racing stable, and even entered several horses at the meeting held in the closing days of the last month on the new track just outside Madrid, the success and popularity of this branch of sport in Spain may be regarded as assured. Monarch and prime minister are alike enthusiastic about the matter and neither one nor the other makes any secret of the fact that they look forward to the day when horseracing will supersede bullfighting as the national sport of Spain.

The new racecourse just outside Madrid is somewhat small, measures about seven ft rlongs, and suggests some of those suburban racecourses of Paris which the late Lord Savernake used to describe as "twice around the frying pan and to finish up in the handle."

At the instance of the king the well known Belgian sportsman, M. de Neuter whose own racetrack at Dilbeck, near Brussels, has been commandeered by the Germans, is busily engaged in getting ready the new racecourse at San Sebastian, where the summer meeting is destined to become the Spanish counterpart of England's Royal Ascot. The leading event there will in next July be an international race for a prize of $20,000, sufficient to attract foreign owners. Don Alfonso, Premier Romanones, and other great nobles in Spain have already entered horses for this next summer meeting at San Sebastian.

The king has been purchasing horses for his stud in the Pau and Tarbes districts of France. There is some splendid horseflesh in the Tarbes country, thanks to the presence there of the magnificent racing stud founded by Achille Fould, the all powerful minister of finance of the reign of Napoleon III., and which is now in the possession of his grandson and namesake, who won the Grand Prix of Paris in 1912 with Houli. The present owner of the stud is a cousin of the Marquis and Vicomte de Breteuil, both the him grandsons of the Napoleonic statesman and financier.

King Alfonso has already won several minor races on the suburban racecourse at Madrid, which he may be said to have brought into existence, and, following the example of his English relative, the late Edward VII., he makes a point of going out on to the course and leading back into the paddock his victorious horse, to the plaudits of all present.

Ian Malcolm, Conservative member of parliament for Croydon, and married to Joanne Langtry, daughter of Mrs. Langtry, now Lady de Bathe (at present touring in the United States as an actress), has just been granted by the czar the honorary rank of major general in the Russian army in recognition of his Red Cross work in the Muscovite empire since the beginning of the war.

Tall and good looking, he enjoys the unique distinction of having had his well shaped legs made the subject of official correspondence between the government of Great Britain and those of Germany and Russia. While attached to the British embassy at Berlin in 1891-92 he attended on one occasion a court ball in the picturesque garb of the great Scottish clan of Malcolm, of which he is now the chief.

Emperor William—or perhaps it was the empress—took exception to the young Scotchman's bare knees, for on the following day Gen. Count Augustus Fulenburg in his capacity as grand chamberlain and grand master of the court addressed an official letter to the British ambassador, Sir Frank Lascelles (father of Lady Spring-Rice, now British ambassadress at Washington), intimating that the kaiser did not wish Mr. Malcolm to appear at any court function in a kilt.

Yet to the amazement of all concerned the emperor himself some weeks later attended a banquet at the British embassy arrayed in full highland costume, wearing a kilt of the Royal Stuart tartan, with sporran, plaid and dirk, complete, subsequently proceeding to the opera in this guise, where "Lucia di Lammermoor" was being given, that is to say, an opera based on one of Sir Walter Scott's best known highland romances.

Ian Malcolm, determined to avoid any further difficulties in connection with his exeremities, when four years later he attended the coronation of the present czar at Moscow as a member of the British embassy, took the wise precaution of having an official letter addressed to the Russian government asking whether there would be any objection to his kilt at the coronation festivities. It was only on receiving an intimation that his bare knees and his kilt would add to the solemnity of the occasion that he ventured to appear at the various ceremonies at Moscow in full highland attire, which attracted an immense amount of attention and of sympathetic interest. For there are several hundred families of the Muscovite aristocracy which were founded by Scottish soldiers of fortune who took service under Peter the Great and who settled down in his dominion.

Ian Malcolm is a native of Quebec, having been born while his father was stationed there as the commanding officer of royal engineers. It is, however, from his father's brother, the late Lord Malcolm of Poltalloch, six foot six in height (and married to the widowed Mrs. H. Gardner Lister of New York), that he has inherited the chieftaincy of the Clan of Malcolm, as well as the great landed possessions connected therewith, including the Castle of Poltalloch. The property, extending over an area of some 130,000 acres, is situated in Argyllshire. In fact, north of the Tweed Ian Malcolm is known either as "Poltalloch" or else as "the MacCallum."

The clan has been seated in Argyllshire since the very down of Scottish history, and was flourishing in the reigns of David II. and Robert II., as shown by contemporary official records still in existence. A junior branch of the family has a baronetcy, created by Charles II. in 1663, and now held by Capt. Sir James Malcolm, serving at the front as an officer of terriitorial artillery. He has however, no property in Scotland whatmoever, his only land and home being situated in Buffolkshire.

The Malcolms have played a notable role in British history, and one of them, Gen. Sir John Malcolm, who won fame as a commander in the field and as a special ambassador to Persia, was accorded the honor of burial in Westminster abbey, where a splendid monument commemorates his name.

Ian Malcolm's wife is a very attractive and gifted woman, who has presented her husband with three small boys, and who, owing to her mother's theatrical activities, was chaperoned on her debut in society by the Duchess of Rutland, Lady Bective, and Mrs. Murray Guthrie. She was a great favorite of both King Edward and Queen Alexandria is tall, slight, graceful, in coloring a brunette, with deep, dark eyes, a clear pale face, and masses of soft, dusky hair.

WHO SAID SICK?

[From the New York Sun.]

The Friend of the People.

Letters for this department must be signed with names and addresses of the writer.

STEPS TAKEN TO STOP DUMPING.

Chicago, Dec. 21.—[To the Friend of the People.]—I should like to know if any assistance could be rendered in keeping the alley between Michigan boulevard and Indiana avenue from Fifty-first to Fifty-second street in any semblance of good condition, particularly across the alley from 5147 Michigan avenue, where there is a vacant lot which has become a general dumping ground for all sorts of building materials, ashes, and garbage. Both the ashman and garbage man seem to do their part, but some person is in the habit of dumping ashes and garbage immediately after they have passed.

WILLIAM A. LURIE.

The superintendent of the Sixth ward advises me that steps have been taken to prevent the dumping complained of.

A. W. MILLER,
Superintendent of Streets.

LONGEST STREET IN CHICAGO.

Providence, R. I., Dec. 21.—[To the Friend of the People.]—Please tell me which is the longest street in Chicago.

JOHN J. COLLINS.

The longest street in Chicago is Western avenue, same being open continuously for a distance of twenty-three and one-half miles.

JOHN D. RILEY,
Superintendent of Maps.

OWNER SERVED WITH NOTICE.

Chicago, Dec. 19.—[To the Friend of the People.]—Since last August I have been corresponding with both you and the commissioner of health in regard to annoyance and unhealthy condition being caused by a cottage located next to mine on the north having no rain gutters attached to the roof. I am again annoyed by rainwater beating on the walk close to my bedroom. CHARLES W. RING.

We have now secured the name and address of the owner of this building, and have served notice upon him to provide adequate roof gutters and downspouts properly connected to sewer.

JOHN DILL ROBERTSON,
Commissioner of Health.

RAILROAD NOTIFIED TO DISCONTINUE PRACTICE.

Chicago, Dec. 20.—[To the Friend of the People.]—Please advise me if there is any way to abate the nuisance caused by gas from half burned cinders dumped on the side of the B. and O. tracks on Taylor street west of Central Park avenue. It seems these cinders are dumped there only partly burned and still give the stifling fumes of the gas entering the homes and causing wearing apparel and bed clothing to smell and the atmosphere is almost impossible to breathe. J. B.

The superintendent of the Thirteenth ward advises that the fire complained of has been put out and railroad company notified to discontinue depositing burning cinders at the point.

A. W. MILLER,
Superintendent of Streets.

MUST EXTEND CHIMNEY.

Chicago, Dec. 21.—[To the Friend of the People.]—We live next to a one story cottage and the smoke from the chimney goes into our windows. Please see what can be done to have this stopped.

G. E., 551 East Forty-sixth street.

An inspection was made, as a result of which notices have been served upon the owner and tenants to "extend chimney sufficiently high to abate nuisance of smoke or fumes entering adjoining living rooms."

JOHN DILL ROBERTSON,
Commissioner of Health.

MUST REPAIR DEFECTIVE GUTTERS.

Chicago, Dec. 19.—[To the Friend of the People.]—Kindly see what can be done to the gutters on premises 1905 Calumet avenue, which are in a very poor condition. On rainy nights we don't get a wink of sleep. MRS. JOHNSON.

1907 Calumet avenue.

CHARLES E. RUBY.

1901 Calumet avenue.

An inspection was made and a notice served upon the owner to repair defective gutters on east and west sides of building.

JOHN DILL ROBERTSON,
Commissioner of Health.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

PUNISHMENT SHOULD FIT THE CRIME.

Chicago, Dec. 21.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—Your editorial, "A Key to Our Policy," would assume and create the impression that while some of the acts of the Anglo-French blockade, etc., are in violation of international law, and in reality deserve equal censure and punishment with the acts and violations of the Teutonic nations, regardless of degree as to crimes, for our future well-being and policy we will overlook the one and severely censure the other. The censure and punishment should be in proportion to the offense.

Many of the contentions against the Anglo-French are questionable and debatable technicalities. To demand that they be equally censured and punished would be a greater violation of justice than the violations of the Anglo-French thus committed in self-defense. Moreover, we contend that the protests of this government, while not as severe as those against the Teutonic nations, have been more severe in proportion to the violations and crimes committed.

On the other hand, when we consider the enormity of the violations of the Teutonic nations—the plots to destroy property, to assassinate, and to commit wholesale murder right here among us, to say nothing of the plots against the government itself—we feel that our government and our people have been most extremely patient. To have meted out justice in proportion to the various acts would have created more respect for the nation. This fact might be proved by the extreme loyalty of these people to the governments which have always acted and punished most severely, while they consider our laxity and patience as weakness and hold the government in contempt. H. P.

WILL DEFEAT WILSON.

Fort Dodge, Ia., Dec. 20.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—I read the editorial "Key to Our Policy" with chagrin, and doubt as to whether Mr. Henning, with your support, is not playing politics for the good of the next Republican presidential candidate. That cabinet officer's remarks and the stand Woodrow Wilson has taken and intends taking with Great Britain will defeat Mr. Wilson for president in 1916. The Republicans, irrespective of any country now at war, will stick to their candidate and ticket, while President Wilson has lost the votes of millions of Democratic neutrals. I mean neutrals, not pro this or that—genuine Americans. I am not much of a prophet and less as a writer, but place this where you can see and find it easily after election.

C. E. COLAHAN.

AN IMMUTABLE SAUSAGE.

Chicago Dec. 23.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—Under "Editorial of the Day" I notice an article entitled "War Has Sausage Changed?" I beg to advise you that last week, upon my son and myself reaching the sidewalk in front of my house at 5629 Calumet avenue, I remarked to him that I smelled cooking sausage, as the odor of sage was in the air. I mention this because when we walked through the front yard and arrived in the house we found that the annual Christmas box from my father in the Valley of Virginia had been received and the sausage was standing in the passage. This sausage has not fallen from its estate, but is the same today as it was forty years ago. It is something to look forward to from year to year and makes one appreciate the joy of living. This sausage has not changed.

H. A. LINDAUER.

TAXING GREAT WEALTH.

Chicago, Dec. 21.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—THE TRIBUNE says in the editorial "Taxation of Great Wealth": THE TRIBUNE believes an enfeebly opposition should be developed to any increase of the income tax downward." Good for THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE. Adam Smith said: "It is not very unreasonable that the rich should contribute to the public expense, not only in proportion to their revenue, but something more than in that proportion." NATHANIEL BACON.

4624 Indiana avenue.

WALL STREET AND DECATUR.

Chicago, Dec. 21.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—Since you have written the editorial headed "A Key to Our Policy" don't you think it would be advisable to conform to that policy by paraphrasing the declaration under your masthead to read as follows:

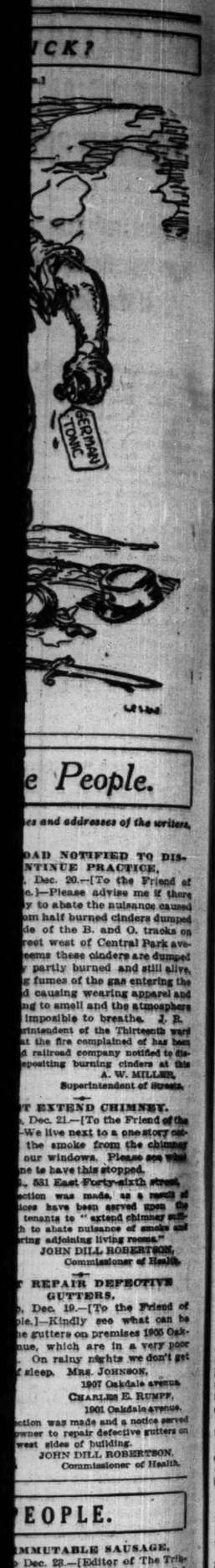
"Wall street and Great Britain in their intercourse with other nations may they always be in the right; but Wall street and Great Britain, right or wrong."

E.

'TRIBUNE' PICTURES THE MOVIES.

New York, Dec. 22.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—There is being shown at the Park theater in this city moving pictures entitled "Germany on the Firing Line." On the screen it is stated that these are official pictures taken for the archives of the German government. If this is a correct statement it should be suggested to the German authorities that they "can" the film referred to above and substitute in its place THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE pictures, which are superior in every respect.

Our Contributor.



LID OFF CAFES THE YEAR ROUND, THOMPSON SAYS

Solid Wall and Locked Door Isolating Bar the Only Requirement.

Any restaurant owner who can separate his barroom from his dining room with a locked door in a solid wall need not wait until New Year's eve to throw away the 1 o'clock lid. Mayor Thompson said so yesterday.

He said the regulations covering the New Year's festivities will be in accordance with the oral opinion given him by Corporation Counsel Ettelson on Thursday. That was that "wet" restaurants that can entirely shut off their barrooms may remain open all night.

Mayor Stands on Law.

"That is the law," said Mayor Thompson.

"If that is the law for New Year's eve is it the law for every other night?"

"That's the way I understand it."

"Then any restaurant keeper who can comply with Mr. Ettelson's opinion right now can stay open all night tonight?"

"That is the law."

To Issue Written Order.

The mayor said he would ask Chief Healey to embody in a written order the revised regulations on these points.

Chief Healey said he was reliably informed there is no difference in the law for New Year's eve and for any other night.

Mr. Ettelson declared he had to admit he had not gone into the question exhaustively and subsequent study might alter the informal opinion.

A large number of restaurant keepers are said to be preparing to put in solid walls between their barrooms and dining rooms with lockable doors.

BOOKS AND THE PEOPLE WHO WRITE THEM

Way of Martha and the Way of Mary.

BY ELIA W. PEATTIE.

STEPHEN GRAHAM evidently was not born in his native state, thus resembling the gentleman who, in spite of his Kentuckian ancestry, first saw the light of day in Indiana. There have been others of the same sort. Lafcadio Hearn, for example, born an American, never reached home until he discovered Japan. There are men living at the present time who have more pleasure in contemplating the thirteenth century than they have in living in the twentieth. As for Stephen Graham, though born an Englishman, he found his home when he became acquainted with Russia and entered into the inner life of that country.

Mr. Graham has dressed in poor men's garments and lived among the Russian peasants, and in the guise of a hobo has traveled through the United States. He has made himself acquainted with the convictions, superstitions, ideals, and impulses of both countries, and as a result has written a book contrasting what may be termed the impetus of these two peoples. This book he calls "THE WAY OF MARTHA AND THE WAY OF MARY" (Macmillans), identifying western Europe and America with the practicality and worry of Martha, and the mysticism and spirituality of Russia with the way of Mary, and going at great length to prove that Mary hath chosen the better part.

The book is poetic, nay, ecstatic, in tone. It is the work of a man who is, like Wells' hero, engaged in the research magnificent, and Russia with its beauty, its piety, and its philosophic resignation appeals to him profoundly. For Russia has patient resignation in spite of the revolutionary outbreaks of portions of her people. He endeavors to make plain to us the essential qualities of the Russians and places his argument in the hands of Dostoieffsky, that novelist who is said to be identified more closely than any other with the heart of his country. He says:

"Dostoieffsky's novels are pictures of great crowds of Russian men and women in the presence of the mystery of Love. Dostoieffsky's novel is a church, and in the church there is room for the murder and the little white slave, room for the sick and the suffering, the lustful and the pure. . . . The little village church of any forest-side of Russia is such a church, and the world itself also, for every face is turned to one idea of God as the flowers are turned to the sun."

This is beautiful even if it does not entirely convince us. It impresses the reader as being less a fact than a personal mood on the part of the writer, to whom Christianity in its most mystical aspects makes its subtle appeal.

It is natural enough that a man in such a mood should find us, with our brisk executiveness, our reformatory zest, and hard common sense, repellant and unlovely. When the Russian sees a chain gang making its way along the road he reflects, even as he pities these poor creatures, that they are but working out their destiny. But the American will not have the chain gangs. He is not reconciled to destiny. He does not, indeed, know how to define it. His confidence lies in human will. Resignation is the least of his virtues, and his pity takes the form not of compassionating the wrongdoer so much as helping the wrongdoer's victim. These differing points of view are interesting, but in spite of Mr. Graham's prolonged and exquisitely phrased arguments, the American readers will hardly feel apologetic. They will realize that Mr. Graham missed the hidden meanings of our actions and ideals. Perhaps they will even go so far as to feel that they would be going back on their own trail were they to exchange their aggressions for resignation, their wistful agnosticism for orthodoxy, or their freedom of speech for deferential listening to "the wise words of priests."

A Study of the Color Line in Ohio.

BY GEORGE W. ELLIS.

IN "The Colored Line in Ohio," Dr. Quillin, professor of sociology and economics in Knox college, has presented to the American public a thorough and scholarly study of the psychology of race prejudice as disclosed in the public documents and the relationship of the white and colored races in the state of Ohio. While this book confines its scope to the inhabitants of Ohio, because this state is typical of the general situation throughout the country, this study has a vital and important message to the entire nation.

It differs from such works on the colored question as "In Freedom's Birthplace," by Daniels, "The Philadelphia Negro," by Dubois, and "Following the Color Line," by Ray Stanard Baker, in that these latter works deal mainly with the progress and social conditions of the colored people, while the former deals chiefly with the mental attitude of the whites together with the various limitations which it imposes upon the colored race. And because the author adheres so closely to his documentary data and presents such conservative interpretations of his facts, his work has a very significant meaning to all students of the race problem in the United States.

The author traces chiefly in his book the feeling of the state through the constitutional convention of 1802, the repeal of the black laws in 1849, the social position of the negro from 1802 to 1849, the growth of prejudice in the constitutional convention of 1850, and the legal and social status of the negro from 1850 to 1912. Particular attention is called to the prejudice of the whites towards the blacks in Cincinnati, Dayton, Springfield, Columbus, Cleveland, and Syracuse; and he supplies a number of maps showing the distribution of the colored population over the state. The author in the outset very frankly confesses to forming as a result of his study very similar conclusions as those reached by the noted southern writer, Alfred Holt Stone, in his "Studies in the American Race Problem."

(1) That the prejudice of the white man against the negro increases according to the growth of the negro population. (2) That the average negro is worse off in the north than in the south because he is here so completely shut-off from the more advantageous industrial opportunities. (3) That the social equality between the races in the north as well as in the south is a myth. (4) That the rights for whites and negroes are the same technically, but that actual discriminations are just as numerous as in our southern states. (5) That there is much more prejudice against the negro race than there was at the close of the civil war. (6) That it is essential to the northern man, if he would really know the truth of his own section, to get it from the lips and hearts of the colored people themselves.

The book contains 178 pages and an interesting bibliography of the original sources and works consulted in its preparation together with an up to date index. As a history of the psychology of race prejudice in a typical northern state, based upon a most authoritative interpretation of the first sources and reliable data, this book differs from any volume yet published on the race question and constitutes a very important contribution to the literature of race prejudice. To those who would know the truth and the dangers which threaten the perpetuity of American institutions this book affords a flood of light in a calm and conservative study of historical and growing conditions. It deserves to be widely read and should find a place in every library of the land.

Introduction Into Sociology.

Out of a rich experience of many years devoted to his chosen field, sociology, Prof. Edward Carey Hayes of the University of Illinois has written "INTRODUCTION TO THE STUDY OF SOCIOLOGY" (D. Appleton & Co.). To the student, for whom chiefly the work is designed as a text book, 700 pages of "introduction" may seem rather formidable. If the author slips easily into the use of technical terms it does not detract materially from a work which is both genuine and progressively American. It will serve the purpose of its author, namely, to present the accepted results in the field of sociology and enable the reader to obtain a sense of relationship in regard to a number of special social questions.

Belloc's Path to Rome.

It is not often that the reprint of a modern work is reason for general congratulation, but a new edition of Mr. Belloc's "THE PATH TO ROME" really puts the reading public under obligations to Messrs. Putnam, the American publishers of the book. No more delightful book of travel was ever published, and one could wish that all guide books were written by Hilaire Belloc. Not that this is a guide book in the ordinary sense. Far from it. At the same time, it is the most delightful companion a tourist can have.

CADE WILL COME BACK TO CHICAGO AS NORSE CONSUL.

Former Mayor of Lake Forest Appointed After Long Struggle with Political Foes.

F. Herman Gade, formerly Norwegian consul in Chicago and at one time "the man without a country," is again consul for Norway. Cable dispatches received from Christiania last night stated that Mr. Gade had been reappointed consul at Chicago to succeed Oscar H. Haugan, who took the position when Mr. Gade resigned more than five years ago to go to Norway.

Mr. Gade was made Norwegian consul in Chicago in January, 1906. He held the position until 1910, when he returned to Norway. He had been born in Norway, the son of Gerhart Gade, American consul at Christiania, and had crossed to the United States when 18 years old. It was his object to become a Norwegian citizen, enter Norway's diplomatic service, and be appointed minister to the United States.

But Mr. Gade encountered difficulties. His political enemies in Norway made things unpleasant and for three years he fought in vain to enter the diplomatic service. In 1913 Mr. Gade set out to secure revenge on his enemies, the Norwegian Conservatives. He stumped the country for the Radical party and the Radicals won. Mr. Gade was then made a member of the royal commission to reform the Norwegian diplomatic and consular services.

After the purposes of this commission had been accomplished Mr. Gade was made Norwegian exposition commissioner to the San Francisco exposition, but on Dec. 4 last the exposition closed and he was again out of a job. His appointment as consul in Chicago followed.

Mr. Gade is a graduate of Harvard and was mayor of Lake Forest for several terms. His wife is the sister of Charles Garfield King of Chicago.

FOUR ENGINEMEN KILLED IN INDIANA RAIL CRASH.

Passengers Badly Shaken Up, but None Injured—One Victim in Kansas Wreck.

Danville, Ill., Dec. 24.—Four enginemen were killed in a head on collision near Veedersburg, Ind., at 5 o'clock today between east bound Clover Leaf passenger train No. 4 and a west bound double header freight train.

Although the passengers were shaken up, none was injured seriously enough to need medical assistance, according to a report from the scene of the wreck.

It is believed the wreck was caused by mixed orders causing the freight to run beyond the passing point at Veedersburg.

One Killed, 28 Injured.

Galena, Kas., Dec. 24.—John Bray, a fireman, was killed and twenty-eight passengers were injured early today when an accommodation train on the Missouri, Oklahoma and Gulf railroad crashed into a standing passenger train. A heavy fog obscured the view of the accommodation, which tore half way through the last sleeping coach before it was brought to a standstill.

"MASHER" TAKES HIS EYE WHILE "DIP" STEALS HIS $20

F. W. Furby, Aroused by Drunken Man's Speech to Wife, Feels "Bundle" in Hip Pocket.

F. W. Furby of 4450 Oakenwald avenue was on a Riverview car, the first stage of his annual journey to Racine at Christmas time. He was standing in the crowded aisle as the car passed Adams street. A man sat beside his wife.

The man leaned toward her.

"Hic," he remarked, with complete abandon, "you're a beu'ful lady."

Mr. Furby was aroused. He was about to lay violent hands on the man when the car reached Madison street, his destination. He was pushing a way out through the car when he felt of his hip pocket. What he thought had been somebody's bundle poking him from behind was he had been defending his wife was not.

His loss was between $18 and $20, he told the police. The car was stopped and a search made for the "dip." But he escaped.

'BUSTED' BY STEEL STOCKS, WENNEKER TO STAY HERE.

Former United States Collector of Internal Revenue Will Not Return to St. Louis, He Says.

"I am not going to St. Louis for Christmas. I am going to stay in Chicago, where I like to be."

This was the answer of Charles F. Wenneker, former United States collector of internal revenue at St. Louis, who lost his fortune speculating in steel, to the suggestion that he go home for Christmas. He had pawned all his belongings of value except a Masonic ring and was facing the prospect of tramping the streets looking for work when a St. Louis newspaper man found him installed as manager of the Confections Products company, working for $18 a week. He had disappeared from St. Louis after he lost his money.

"I have had many offers of positions, thanks to the story about me in THE TRIBUNE this morning," he said yesterday. "My position here will end on Jan. 1, but I will not have to tramp the streets again. There are now many positions open to me. In two months I shall register as a citizen of Chicago. This city is my home from now on."

CHICAGO WOMAN WINS SON.

Daughter of William E. Sloan Is Granted Custody of Child at Kenosha.

Kenosha, Wis., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—Cleo Sloan Anderson Bannschek, daughter of William E. Sloan, a manufacturer living at 4137 Ellis avenue, Chicago, won her year's fight for the possession of her 7 year old son, Vern Anderson, in the Municipal court here today when Judge E. B. Belden handed down an order giving the mother the custody of the son. Her former husband, David K. Anderson, sought possession of the child. Mrs. Bannschek was divorced from Anderson here a little over a year ago. Mrs. Anderson was later arrested on charges of contempt of court when she eloped to Crown Point, Ind., and married Frank Bannschek of Chicago.

INDEPENDENCE PARK BOARD JOLTED BY COURT RULING.

Mrs. Cecelia Quinn's Suit Reveals Commissioners Cannot Exclude Any One from Public Preserve.

If you feel that you must swim in the pool, exercise in the gymnasium or loaf about in Independence park, then do so. It is legal, for Judge Windes said so yesterday, notwithstanding the ruling of the commissioners.

Herman A. Ott, president, and other members of the commission were sued by Mrs. Cecelia Blanch Quinn of 4203 North Laramie avenue, who lives just outside the jurisdiction of the commissioners, and declared she had been excluded from the park.

Judge Windes has decided that persons whether residents of Chicago or not, have the right to the park's advantages, and that the board's ordinance prescribing that residents of the district, bounded by Irving Park boulevard, Springfield avenue, Hamlin avenue, and an alley near Byron street, only are entitled to the use of the playground, is a mere resolution without any binding effect in law.

BURIED ALIVE FOUR DAYS, 120 RISK LIVES TO SAVE HIM.

Joseph Renock, a Miner at Richards Colliery, Shamokin, Pa., Taken Exhausted from Tomb.

Shamokin, Pa., Dec. 24.—After being entombed by a flush of coal at the Richards colliery of the Reading company since Monday, a period of ninety-six hours, Joseph Renock, a miner, was taken out alive at 10 o'clock this morning.

A force of 120 men had been working for the last four days at the risk of their lives in an effort to rescue the imprisoned man.

Members of Renock's family were at the mine when he was released. He was able to talk, but was in such a weakened condition from exhaustion and lack of food that he was immediately sent to a hospital. He will recover.

CARSON PIRIE SCOTT & CO

Announce to Begin Monday, December 27th—the 48th

Twice-Yearly Sale of Silk Remnants

In view of the present trade conditions, this sale this year is in many ways the most extraordinary of its kind we have ever announced. The scarcity of dyestuffs, the uncertainty of foreign shipments, and the generally increased demand for silks woven in America have had a natural tendency to increase prices.

Consequently, silks of good quality are at a premium. Nevertheless, in this sale quantities are even larger than usual—the logical outcome of the great business in silks and velvets which this store has been favored this season.

We do not believe a desirable weave in silks or in velvets can be named that you will not find included in these great remnant stocks in the colors which are sought and in the qualities which, all season long proved most dependable.

There are over 50,000 yards of silks and velvets in remnant lengths varying from one to ten yards each, to be sold

At an Average of Half and Less Than Half the Former Selling Prices in Most Cases

In these great assortments are, of course, the staple colors and the season's popular effects, as well as many very exclusive and unique silks and velvets, including—

Crepe de Chine	*Chiffon Cloths*	*Chiffon Velvets*	*Cachemire de Soie*	*Velutinas*	*Messalines*	*Broche Silks*
Satins	*Plaid Silks*	*Taffetas*	*Voiles*	*Paon Velvets*	*Georgette Crepes*	*Velvets*
Faille Francaise	*Novelty Silks*	*Poult de Soies*	*Striped Silks*	*Crepe Meteors*	*Marquisettes*	*Corduroys*
Charmeuse	*Velveteens*	*Moires*	*White Silks*	*Poplins*	*Chiffon Imprime*	*And others*

And many weaves of black silks and satins. These silks will be grouped in many lots and priced, according to kind and grade,

at 50c, 75c, 95c, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $1.95 to $4.95 yard

While the quantities are vast, of course one need not be told there will be distinct advantages in an early attendance at this Forty-eighth Twice-Yearly Silk Remnants Sale, and so—Remember the Date—Monday, December 27th, 1915.

NOTE—Remnants included in this sale will not be accepted after purchase for refund, credit or exchange.

Second Floor, North Room.

THE MIDWINTER "BEFORE INVENTORY" SALES

Begin Monday, December 27th, and present splendid groups of fashionable apparel, furs and other stocks radically reduced to effect immediate clearance.

Certain of the high character of the merchandise, the following groups and price quotations will serve to indicate the scope and variety of the choice offered in these sales.

Women's Frocks Reduced to $15, $22.50, $27.50 and $35

From Remarkable Groups of Frocks Formerly $27.50 to $75

Utility frocks and afternoon frocks of taffetas, charmeuse, soiree silk—some with chiffon, velvet or Georgette crepe in combination—in a variety of smart and attractive modes in the most desired colors. The Following Are Special Items—

One evening gown of Georgette crepe and satin trimmed in gold sequins, formerly $125, now $50.

One evening gown of orchid silk and American beauty velvet, formerly at $350, now $150.

One charming frock of hand-embroidered white net, formerly priced at $77.50, now $37.50.

One small group of afternoon frocks of charmeuse, formerly priced at $50, now $35.

Fourth Floor, North Room.

Women's Suits Now Reduced to $15, $18.75, $25 and $32.50

Suits Formerly Priced From $25 to $55

In these groups will be found suits in the most successful modes of the season. Suits of broadcloths, gabardines, velveteens, and corduroys—in the most desired colors and a good number fur-trimmed. While a wide variety is offered, not all the fabrics are represented in each group. *Fourth Floor, North Room.*

Women's Coats Now Reduced to $10, $15, $22.50 and $30

Formerly Priced From $30 Up to $65

The reductions vary according to the style and material—though each group presents unusual value. Included are—coats of velours, broadcloths, gabardines, broadtail cloths, cheviots—most of them fur-trimmed and some fur-lined. A wide range of sizes is in evidence. *Fourth Floor, North Room.*

Misses' Frocks Reduced to $10, $15 and $18.75

Formerly These Were Priced from $15 to $37.50

In accordance with the style or the fabric these frocks have been divided into these three remarkably reduced groups. They include utility frocks of serges, frocks of serge and silk in combination, of velvets of Georgette crepes—some with touches of beading or laces as trimmings—all sizes included, though not in all the styles. *Fourth Floor, South Room.*

Misses' Suits, Now Reduced to $10, $15 and $18.75

Former Prices Range from $18.75 to $50

Included is a variety of this season's most favored styles in suits of broadcloths, serges, and poplins—a wide range of sizes and a splendid representation of the most desired colors. *Fourth Floor, South Room.*

MISSES' PARTY FROCKS, WERE $65 AND $85, REDUCED TO $37.50—three in number—one of white taffeta, another of charmeuse and lace, and the third of pleated chiffon in pale pink. *Fourth Floor, South Room.*

Girls' Coats and Frocks Reduced

In the Following Noteworthy Groups

Corduroy coats, formerly $8.75, reduced Now to $5

Checked novelty coats, formerly $12.75, reduced Now to $8.75

Girls' frocks, formerly $5.75, reduced to $3.95, including smart school frocks of serges in checks and in plain colors. *Fourth Floor, South Room.*

Blouses—Two Extensive Groups Reduced to $3.95 and $5

Offering an Extensive Variety of Styles

At $3.95—*Blouses formerly $5, $5.75, $6.95 and $8.75.*

Included are blouses of Georgette crepe, crepe de Chine, taffeta, soiree silk, in dark and light colors.

At $5.00—*Blouses formerly $10, $12.50 and $13.50.*

Included are blouses of chiffons, of Georgette crepe, of crepe combined with satin—mostly one of a kind. *Fourth Floor, North Room.*

Misses' Coats Now Reduced to $10 and $18.75

Formerly Priced from $18.75 to $35

Included in these reduced groups are coats of pomoire, meritex, of smart mixtures, duvetyns and of broadcloths, some are fur-trimmed, others in tailored styles—all present highly interesting values. *Fourth Floor, South Room.*

A Splendid Assortment of Girls' Frocks, Reduced to $6.75

This group offers a great variety, including frocks of checked and striped silks, frocks of corduroy, frocks of velvet with blouses of crepe de Chine, of serges with sleeves of charmeuse—former prices ranged from $8.75 to $12.75—now $6.75.

Also a very interesting group of challis and velvet frocks, formerly $15—reduced to $10. *Fourth Floor, South Room.*

In Furs—The Reductions Are Most Unusual

These fur sales will create most unusual interest, we believe, when these items—all of this season's purchase—are noted.

One handsome leopard coat, trimmed with Hudson seal, with muff to match, formerly $675—Reduced to $500.

One Hudson seal coat, with a deep band of natural Siberian squirrel and collars and cuffs of the squirrel, formerly $400—Reduced to $325.

One Hudson seal coat, with blue fox at the hem, collar and cuffs, formerly $375—Reduced to $300.

One Hudson seal coat—a smart short "skating" style, with bandings and "chin" collar of bear, formerly $245—Reduced to $200.

One set of krimmer and skunk fur, formerly priced at $87.50—Reduced to $65.

One Hudson seal coat, with deep band of beaver, beaver collar, cuffs, and wide belt in front, formerly $375—Reduced to $300.

One set of caracul and ermine, formerly priced at $185—Reduced to $150.

One set of caracul and skunk fur, formerly priced at $200—Reduced to $165.

One set of German fitch fur, beautifully designed, formerly priced at $97.50—Reduced to $75.

Fourth Floor, North Room.

PREXY THOMAS GIVES OUT CUB TRAINING CARD

Names Tampa as Camp and Books Games Despite Sale of Club.

BY JAMES CRUSINBERRY.

Charley Thomas, who still is president of the Cubs, announced the spring training dates yesterday for Charles Weeghman, who still is only president of the Whales, but who will be president of the Cubs a long time before it is time to start spring training. It is pretty early for announcing plans for spring training, but indications were that if Mr. Thomas didn't announce them quite soon, he wouldn't be able to announce them at all.

The list of dates handed out by the present boss of the Cubs had the appearance of being drafted in considerable haste and without much forethought, but as the list came from the official head, it must be considered as official. Consequently it is safe to say now that the rebuilt Cubs will train at Tampa, Fla., whether Joe Tinker wants them to train there or not.

Also one may announce they will play at New Orleans, Monroe, Pine Bluff, Little Rock, Memphis and Louisville whether Mr. Tinker and Mr. Weeghman desire such games or not, because President Thomas has closed for exhibition games at those places and when Weeghman and his partners take over the Cubs they also will have to take over the contracts entered into by Thomas.

Start South on March 10.

Thomas announced during the peace session in New York that he would remain as boss of the Cubs until Charles P. Taft notified him that he no longer held that position. Consequently, when Thomas returned from New York he continued correspondence with southern cities and closed a contract to play a lot of exhibition games which might have been discountenanced by the new leader, Joe Tinker.

According to the Thomas plan, which likely will be adopted by the Weeghman men, the Cubs will not leave Chicago to engage in spring training until March 10. This will land then in Tampa on the evening of March 12 and on the morning of March 13 the grind will begin.

The plan is to keep the Cubs at Tampa until March 30, when all will board a boat for New Orleans. The first three days of April will be spent in the atmosphere of the Crescent City, after which the Chicagoans will start for the north, stopping to play at Monroe, La., Pine Bluff, and Little Rock, Ark.; Memphis, Tenn., and Louisville, Ky.

Training Trip Schedule.

It is possible several of the dates mentioned have not been closed in writing, so there may be changes in the itinerary. The list, as given out by Thomas, follows:

Leave Chicago March 10.
March 18 to 17—Training at Tampa.
March 18 to 29 inclusive—Exhibition games in and about Tampa.
March 29—Leave Tampa via boat for New Orleans.
April 1—New Orleans.
April 2—Cleveland at New Orleans.
April 3—New Orleans.
April 4—Monroe, La.
April 5—Pine Bluff, Ark.
April 6-7—Little Rock, Ark.
April 8-9—Memphis, Tenn.
April 10-11—Louisville, Ky.

During the day Charles Weeghman called upon his manager, Joe Tinker, at the Henrotin hospital, where Joe is recovering from an operation. Weeghman was surprised to find his manager so well. "Why, he looked fit to go out and steal a couple of bases every inning," said Weeghman. "He intends to go home in the morning and in a few days we will begin work on our plans for the coming season."

Ban Johnson Returns.

President Johnson of the American league returned yesterday from Cincinnati, where he took active part in arranging peace between the Feds and organized baseball. Ban had nothing to add regarding the doings accomplished at the Ohio city, but stated he hoped to give out a copy of the peace agreement for publication in the near future.

Johnson is delighted with the work accomplished in the world of baseball during the last ten days. He said he believed the game would enjoy a long period of peace and prosperity under the new agreement.

LEE MAGEE TO BE OIL MAN: SINCLAIR HAS JOB FOR HIM.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 24.—Lee Magee, for a short time manager of the Brooklyn Feds, is going to be an oil man. Harry Sinclair, credited with bringing about baseball peace, said so. Sinclair said several clubs offered $15,000 for Magee. "Lee is worth more than $15,000 to me," said Sinclair today, "and I like him. He's too good to be in baseball, so I'm going to take him to Oklahoma and set him to work with the gushers."

CAL BIDS FOR SEVEN FEDS.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—President Barney Dreyfuss of the Pittsburgh Pirates was back at his desk today and announced that while he was irrevocably opposed to taking back the four players who jumped from his club, Konetchy, Hendrix, Simon, and Kelley, there were seven men who now belong to the Feds that he had been asked by Manager Callahan to go after. He would not make known the names of these men, as he wants to get the best bargain possible. He said they were among the best the Federal league had. It is thought some of these players were with the Chicago Whales last year.

PEACE BIG HELP TO MINORS.

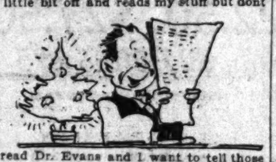
Sioux City, Ia., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—E. J. Hanlon, vice president of the Western league and president of the local club, insists that the new baseball peace pact is a sweeping victory for organized baseball. He declares the minors will get the lion's share of the benefit and that players who have remained loyal to organized baseball should be given the preference wherever there is any choice to be made.

ANOTHER WAY OF SPRINGING IT.

In the Wake of the News
By RING W. LARDNER

NOTHING ABOUT CHRISTMAS.

I SUPOSE evry body else on the paper have got some thing to say about xmas this A. M. so I will be unique like usual and not say anything about xmas outside of saying jest a few words for the benefits of people thats a little bit off and reads my stuff but dont



read Dr. Evans and I want to tell those kind of people that theys a few simple rules to follow out in regards to xmas dinner that if you follow them out you wont suffer no bad effects from georgeing yourself at the dinner table.

In the 1st. place eat with the utensuls thats lade out for you and if theys a part of the turkey or owl or whatever bird you have that you cant get at with knife or fork or sugar tongs leave it stay where its at. Its when you pick up the carcus in your hands that your libel to forget yourself and george because then you dont half to pay no tension to anything accept eating whereas if you eat with tools that you aint use to them you cant get near as much into you in the same lenth of time and the portions that invertently falls off on to the flr. wont do near as much harm is the portions thats ett.

In the 2d. place try and say something onct in a wile outside of gimme this and gimme that because the more you talk the lest time your larnx has got to admit of vittles. Allso before the meal go up in your rm. or in the gest rm. and practise saying no thank you I had a grate plenty so when the hostess says I wisht you would eat a little more of the crout you wont half to spring the old well I will if you dont mind and it makes it more equatable for you to say you dont want no more when you do because when the hostess says she wishs youd have some she dont mean it nether.

In the 3d. place drink lots of gravey.

Thats all the rules I can give you but beffore I close I want to put myself on the records as a ante-spug. I supose evrybody know what the spugs is. There people thats opposed to giveing use.est xmas presesents and there motto is dont give nothing tha the person whose going to get it dont need it and if that was carried out a hole lot of people might get something they needed but they wouldent get nothing they was glad to get. And Im glad the paper aint no spug or where would us employs be on pay day because they might give us a shave instead of a lot of money that we dont need but its nice to get a hold of it.

And this is the 1st. xmas I ever spent in Illinois. I thought that might intrest the public.

So outside of them few paragrafts I was going to write something that dident have nothing to do with xmas but I forgot now what it was.

SINCLAIR TAKES ALL CONTRACTS OF FED ORPHANS

New York, Dec. 24.—Harry F. Sinclair of Oklahoma, owner of the Newark Federal league club, has taken the contracts of all Federal league players which are absolutely binding and will dispose of the players, according to a statement today by Edward Barrow, president of the International league. Barrow said the contracts taken by Sinclair did not include the players taken over by the merged Chicago and St. Louis clubs.

The other clubs, as well as the Federal league, have relinquished their claims to Federal league players and will put them entirely into Sinclair's hands, Barrow said. "He has assumed responsibility for the contracts and will endeavor to get as much for the players as he can," added Barrow.

Barrow's statement supplements Sinclair's announcement at St. Louis yesterday that he had the disposition of the Kansas City, Buffalo, and Newark Federal league players. It apparently explains how Sinclair came to possess the contracts of Benny Kauff, Lee Magee, and George Anderson of the Brooklyn Federals.

"Sinclair will give the Cubs and St. Louis Browns first chance for the Federal league stars, and after these clubs ake what they want it will be up to the other clubs to bid for whatever players they care to take."

Concerning the attempt by Federal league magnates to consolidate the Buffalo Federal and Buffalo International clubs, Barrow said: "We would never stand for such a Buffalo merger. The Buffalo Federal league franchise was declared forfeited and we cannot saddle our Buffalo people with stockholders of a company which went out of existence."

INDIANA WILL PLAY TUFTS; COMPLETES FOOTBALL CARD.

Bloomington, Ind., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—With the scheduling of a game with Tufts college of Boston for Indianapolis on Oct. 28, the Indiana university football card was completed today. Harvard and Yale both offered Indiana games, but as the schedule was full they declined. The complete schedule follows: Sept. 30, De Pauw at Bloomington; Oct. 14, Chicago at Chicago; Oct. 28, Tufts at Indianapolis; Nov. 4, Northwestern at Bloomington; Nov. 11, Ohio State at Columbus; Nov. 18, Florida at Bloomington; Nov. 25, Purdue at Lafayette.

PHIL BALL MAKES FIRST PAYMENT ON ST. LOUIS CLUB

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—Phil Ball, new owner of the St. Louis Browns, announced today he had made the first payment on the purchase of the team. The next, probably the final, payment will be made next week.

Although Ball and Col. Robert Lee Hedges, retiring owner, are silent on the price, it is certain in the neighborhood of $400,000 was paid for the team. The team originally was capitalized at $80,000, the stock being 800 shares with a par value of $100 each. Hedges owned more than 60 per cent of the stock.

Fielder Jones, manager of the Sloofeds last year, will be the new manager of the Browns. Branch Rickey, manager of the Browns last year, will be president unless Ball wishes to serve in that post. In case Ball serves he will be retained, probably as chief scout. Jones is expected to arrive here for a conference with Ball before the end of the year.

Hedges, whose successive failures to give St. Louis a winning team have made him a "joke" in other cities, is quitting the game with at least $500,000. He had a shoestring capital of $30,000 when he entered the American league in the first baseball raid. Under his administration the Browns were the first major league team to abolish bars. He also was responsible for the first organized attempt of baseball magnates to attract more women fans to the parks.

COLUMBIA CHESS PLAYERS TAKE 1915 COLLEGE HONORS

New York, Dec. 24.—Columbia university won the intercollegiate chess championship tournament which ended here today with a score of 10½ points won to 1½ lost. A. J. Mandell and N. W. Kempf each had a clean slate of three wins, H. E. Leede was held to a draw in one of his games, and Capt. F. F. Korkus lost a contest after a hard struggle.

Princeton took second place with 6 points to 6. Harvard was third with 5½ to 6½, and Yale won only 2 points to 10 scored against them. Columbia now has eleven of the twenty-four tournaments to its credit, Harvard nine, Yale two, Princeton one and one ended in a tie.

In today's matches Columbia defeated Yale, 3½ to ½, and Harvard and Princeton broke even, each team scoring two wins.

Washburne, 7; Smyth, 4.

Washburne grammar school won from the Smyth school nine in an indoor game at Stanford park, 7 to 4.

MAROON BALL SQUAD DUE IN CITY FRIDAY FROM ORIENTAL TRIP

BY MAROON.

The Maroon baseball players will arrive in Chicago Friday if they do not meet with further delay. Typhoons off the Chinese coast delayed the party about a week. M dway students are planning a big reception for the players on their return from the oriental trip. When the time of arrival is definitely known, details will be arranged for a reception for the players after they step off the train. Another reception is scheduled for the first week of the winter term, probably Wednesday, Jan. 5, at which the players will speak of their trip.

Two welcome members of the party will be Captain Roland George of the basketball team and Coach Pat Page. George was an all-conference guard last year and his presence will bolster up the team.

Page to Coach Quintet.

Page will join the coaching staff, which at present includes Red Paine and Director Stagg. That Page has a big job on his hands to produce a quintet of the class of last year's team has been shown by the early season showing of the Maroons, who have lost two of their first five practice games.

David Weideman, one of the two freshmen to go on the baseball trip, is back from the orient. He started to play first base in the games on the coast, but injured his shoulder and had to be content with taking in the sights for the remainder of the trip. In China he was taken ill with a serious case of indigestion and did not go to Manila with the party. After the party had left Hongkong, the British port, Weideman, who was left behind, was suspected of being a German spy, but escaped being sent to jail and came home on the first boat.

Schedule Basket Games.

The Maroons have scheduled basketball games with the Hamlin Triangles for Wednesday night and the First National Banks five for New Year's afternoon.

HOOSIER FIVE PUT TO WORK; NO VACATION FOR SQUAD.

Bloomington, Ind., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—To get in good shape for the opening of the "Big Nine" basketball season early in January, Indiana university's varsity squad will practice in Bloomington while the rest of the students are spending the Christmas vacation at their homes. Coach Williford asked every varsity player to report to him on Dec. 28. There will be one trip this year during the holidays, and that will be to Vincennes, where the Y. M. C. A. five will be met.

A new sport will be instituted here upon the return of the students after the holidays if the weather permits. The board of directors of the Indiana Union club, the big organization of men students, has made final arrangements for the establishment of an artificial skating rink on the athletic field. The topography of the field makes it easy to flood, and a dam will be unnecessary. Eugene Kerr, superintendent of the university grounds, has been instructed to flood the field from a city water hydrant.

To President William Lowe Bryan is due credit for suggesting the skating rink proposition to the club. President Bryan and A. L. Kessler, the university's landscape artist, after discussing the matter of possible damage to the baseball field from the skating rink, decided that it will in no way be damaged by the water and ice.

DR. WILLIAMS OF GOPHERS MAY GET OFFER FROM YALE.

New Haven, Conn., Dec. 24.—That the Yale committee on the selection of a football coach may turn to the west and make an offer to Dr. Harry Williams, head football coach at the University of Minnesota, was rumored today. Though the committee will not report until the university reopens in January, it is known Williams is being considered. One by one the other eligibles are being eliminated. Dr. Al Sharpe will remain at Cornell and Tad Jones is believed to lack the necessary experience. Williams is a former Yale football man and is well acquainted with the situation at his alma mater.

Mefford Rose Poly Director.

Terre Haute, Ind., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—H. L. Mefford of Robinson, Ill., has been signed as physical director at Rose Polytechnic institute. He served under Coach Stagg of the University of Chicago in the last football season. Rose Poly never has had a regular athletic or physical director, but employed special coaches from time to time for baseball or for football.

Target Tips and Hunting Helps
by Alfred P. Lane

L. L., Duluth, Minn.:

1. What is the trajectory at 100 yards of the 30-30 caliber rifle, and what are its ballistics?

Answer—When fired at 100 yards the bullet rises 1.28 inches at fifty yards. The muzzle velocity is 2,020 feet seconds, and the muzzle energy 1,540 foot pounds.

2. What is the extreme range of the above rifle when held at an angle of forty-five degrees?

Answer—Approximately 9,700 feet.

P. A. S., Superior, Wis.:

The right barrel is cylinder bore, left barrel full choke. The cylinder barrel shoots a little more open pattern than the choke does, but not enough. I use a long all brass shell which I load myself and have tried devices such as pyramids made out of wood. Dividing the shot in six layers with cardboard wads I have tried, also the X shape cardboard spreaders dividing the shot in four partitions. Do you know of any way I can load these shells with fine shot that will make an open pattern six feet to ten feet at twenty yards? I can load three and a half drams Infallible powder and two and a half ounces of shot in these shells very easily. If you know of any style shotgun that shoots an open pattern let me know.

Answer—I am afraid that you do not exactly understand the object of loading shells with a shot charge divided up into layers by cardboard wads. In a full choke shotgun the choke depends for its effect on the sudden jamming together of the shot just as they leave the muzzle. When the shot charge is divided up by cardboard wads, the spring of the cardboard wads and the fact that the shot are not in a solid mass prevents their being jammed together, thus producing somewhat the same patterns as would be produced by a cylinder bore barrel. There is no way that I know of to make a cylinder bore shotgun shoot more open. Increasing the shot charge over the twelve gauge load, the standard heaviest load being one and a quarter to two and a half ounces, would reduce the spread of shot instead of increasing it. As a general thing, increasing the powder charge, providing the load of shot remains the same, increases the spread of shot. The only way you will be able to obtain a pattern six to ten feet wide at twenty yards will be to have a special barrel made, with a very large bell muzzle.

E. M. T.:

1. Does the Savage hammerless rifle, after continued use, go off accidentally when the safety is not on?

Answer—Not that I know of. No well made weapon would do this.

2. How many rounds of ammunition could be used in a 38-55 Hi-power steel barrel, using the lead bullet?

Answer—Using the low pressure load, thousands and thousands of shots might be fired—possibly 10,000 or 15,000 without the barrel showing any marked falling off in accuracy, but of course this could only be done providing the barrel received perfect care.

3. Where can King's semi-smokeless powder be obtained?

Answer—From the factory in Cincinnati, O.

J. H. S., Warsaw, Mo.:

1. I read with a good deal of interest your Target Tips. Which do you consider best all around gun—full choke, modified, or cylinder bore, 26, 28, 30 inch?

Answer—Judging from point of sales, which is a pretty fair indication, the 28 or 30 inch full choke shotgune are most popular.

2. To show what I like best, I have an Autoloader with one barrel 26 inch cylinder and one 28 inch modified. The 26 inch I use for quail and the 28 inch modified for duck and wild turkeys.

Answer—The combination of barrels you have is excellent, and you are well equipped for everything with the possible exception of very long range duck shooting where a full choke barrel would be better.

DETROIT SQUAD BEATS CHICAGO IN 47 TO 13 CLASH

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—The touring Chicago Y. M. C. A. college basketball team went down to defeat at the hands of the Detroit "Y" representatives tonight, 47 to 13. Chicago was able to score only four points to the locals' seventeen in the second period, although Capt. Biggs hurled several substitutes into the breach.

While the visitors played strenuously from start to finish, and showed flashes of individual brilliancy, they seemed to lack team work and could make little impression on Detroit's strong defense, although their passing was excellent. Sutton, the Detroit right forward, was the offensive star of the game, featuring with seven long floor shots.

Capt. Biggs was Chicago's best bet. His general floor play was good and he pulled one beautiful long goal shot. Corsant and Sheffer also starred for Chicago. Lineup:

Detroit [47].		Chicago [13].
Ely	L. F.	Biggs
Sutton	R. F.	Cammack, Corsant
Boosey	C.	Hemsath, McFaul
Wilson	L. G.	Shafford, Roy
Vinton	R. G.	Sheffer

Baskets—Sutton [3], Ely [4], Boosey [3], Vinton, Kline, Wilson [2], Corsant [3], Hemsath, Biggs. Free throws—Ely [7], Biggs [3], Corsant. Referee—Sutton. Umpire—Goodwin.

HAVANA ASKS FOR OLYMPICS.

HAVANA, Dec. 24.—The mayor of Havana has cabled to the president of the Olympic committee soliciting the Olympic games for Havana in 1920. President Menocal added his indorsement to the mayor's request.

Concordia Five Breaks Even.

The Invincibles of Concordia college of Milwaukee defeated the Christ Church Comets in a basketball match, 44 to 26. In a preliminary the Crystal Infants won from the Concordia Juniors, 15 to 14.

'AMATEUR' UP AT ANNUAL MEETING OF SPORT BOARDS

New York, Dec. 24.—The names of six-been organizations governing amateur sport in the United States and Canada, which will be represented at a conference here next Monday to adopt a universal definition of the amateur in athletics, were made public today by Gustavus T. Kirby.

Kirby is chairman of the advisory committee of the intercollegiate college of amateur athletes of America. This association has suggested the problems affecting the standing of athletes as amateurs which are to be discussed in the conference.

Units to Be Represented.

Besides the intercollegiate association these organizations have accepted invitations to be represented at the meeting:

United States Lawn Tennis association.
United States Golf association.
Amateur Fencers' League of America.
Intercollegiate Rowing association.
International Skating Union of America.
United States Revolver association.
National Association of Amateur Billiard Players.
Playground and Recreation Association of America.
Boy Scouts of America.
National Collegiate Athletic association.
Athletic Research society.
United States Football association.
Intercollegiate Basketball league.
Amateur Athletic Union of the United States.

Canadian A. A. U. May Join.

It is expected that the Amateur Athletic Union of Canada will send a delegate to the meeting. Dean Le Baron R. Briggs of Harvard, president of the National Collegiate association, who is regarded as one of the leading exponents of amateurism in this country, probably will attend the conference, as his views on the definition of an amateur athlete are desired.

AT THE BILLIARD ROOMS

Welker Cochran has gone to his home at Mason, Ia., for the Christmas holidays.

Lew Shaw has returned from an extended trip through eastern and midwestern states. He has booked a number of games at local rooms for the next six weeks.

Lloyd Jayne, who is next in line to play De Oro for the three cushion title, will continue his practice at Flenner's next week. Jayne expects to hear from De Oro early in the year as to the place and date for the title match.

Two Columbia students, Francis S. and Edgar T. Appleby, may enter the national amateur balkline tournament if it is held at New York. Francis, who is 20 years of age, is considered the stronger player. Edgar has represented Columbia in cross country races.

Ward and Falk, leaders in the three cushion team tournament at Mussey's, will meet Gould and Thomas on Monday night. The standing of the teams is as follows: Ward-Falk [50], 4—0; Hayward-Bernstein [49], 5—1; Sheffer-Quesnell [42], 3—1; Richards-Halliday [40], 3—2; Leonard-Berg [42], 2—2; Lauben-Perry [39], 2—2; Gould-Thomas [50], 1—2; Roberts-Schiff [50], 1—3; Juul-Hicks [47], 0—3; Wadsworth-Delmar [46], 0—5.

SLEIPNER A. C. HOST TO "TRIBUNE" BOYS AT ANNUAL EVENTS

BY WALTER H. ECKERSALL.

The Sleipner A. C., one of the oldest skating clubs in Chicago, which will hold its annual derby at Humboldt park on New Year's afternoon, has invited all the kids who intend to take part in THE TRIBUNE skating carnival to be present at their contests. The youngsters will be given good seats in order to view the races and learn as much as possible from the older contestants.

Snowfall Spoils Ice.

The snow of yesterday, falling as it did on thawing ice, will result in what is termed snow ice. This sort of ice is soft and full of crevices and unsuited to practice for the TRIBUNE stunts. As soon as the surface becomes firm the playgrounds directors will flood the ponds, with the idea of getting firm ice.

Some Abandon Skating.

Skating was abandoned at some of the parks during the day because of the soft condition of the ice. North, west, and south side park commissioners have done everything possible to have skating on Christmas, but the weather has thwarted them. There is ice on the park lagoons, but not strong enough to hold the weight of the crowds which would appear today.

All interested in the tourney are waiting for the forecaster to turn on the cold weather valve.

BONSPIEL DRAWS STARS OF SPORT

Duluth, Minn., Dec. 24.—The twenty-second annual bonspiel of the Northwestern Curling association is slated for Duluth the week starting Jan. 17 and ending on Jan. 22. It is hoped by Secretary W. F. Hargreaves to make this gathering the largest in the history of curling in the United States. Efforts will be made to get rinks here from the east. A large Canadian contingent is expected, and new clubs from the Dakotas and Montana will be urged to attend. Several new organizations have been formed in the Dakotas, which are affiliated with the Manitoba association.

The events include the Duluth Curling club, St. Paul Jobbers, West Duluth Curling club, the Minneapolis Curling club, St. Paul Chamber of Commerce, Ordway, and Patrick. All these will be played off early in the playing week, it is expected.

Last and, to many, the most important of all the events comes the international event, with the Hill trophy cup as the prize. This cup was won by Winnipeg rinks last year, and will be in play this year.

Already "jewelry" is being shown here. The list of prizes is expected to outdo all previous exhibits.

FIFTEEN MACKAY HORSES SOLD AT SALE FOR $50,000.

New York, Dec. 24.—Horsemen said today that the sale of fifteen thoroughbred horses bred and foaled in Europe for about $50,000, an average of more than $3,300, was the best showing of prices obtained for thoroughbreds in this state for many years. The horses were the property of Charles H. Mackay and were bred on his farm in Normandy, France. Horse fanciers from all over the east were among the bidders in the sale conducted here last night. More than 3,000 persons attended.

John H. Morris of Kentucky paid the top price, $6,000, for Sun Light, a chestnut colt by Sundridge-Spectrum. It was reported that Morris was acting in behalf of Kenneath Alexander of Versailles, Ky.

John Sanford, state racing commissioner of Amsterdam, N. Y., was the largest individual purchaser. He paid $5,500 for Gloriana, a yearling filly by Meddler-Balantrae; $4,000 for Pierre-a-Feu, by Rock Sand out of Trigger, and $4,800 for Gunrock, a chestnut colt by Rock Sand-Gunfire.

Allumeur, a 5 year old, went to Willis M. Kilmer for $6,000.

FATE OF M'GEE UNCERTAIN.

Cincinnati, O., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—The receipt of information here today from the state department at Washington, D. C., in regard to the reported murder near Paris, France, of the American Jockey Matty McGee, who has been riding on various race tracks on the European continent with success since he won the English Derby in 1913 with Herman Duryea's Durbar II., was received by his mother, Mrs. John McGee, at Latonia, Ky., Jockey club racetrack, near this city, today.

McGee gained his first success on the American turf by his riding over the Latonia race course, but, becoming too heavy for the American turf, went to Europe. Recently the report reached here that an American jockey resembling McGee had been murdered in a suburb of Paris, France, and as McGee's letters to his mother had strangely ceased, an appeal was made to the northern Kentucky congressman, Shelly Rouse, for aid, with the above result.

McGee was known to be living for the winter in a Paris suburb, where the alleged murder occurred.

WRENN TO QUIT NET BODY.

New York, Dec. 24.—Robert D. Wrenn, former star tennis player, present head of the United States National Lawn Tennis association, will not be a candidate for reelection at the annual meeting of the association here on Feb. 1. It was announced today. Wrenn's successor probably will be A. L. Hopkins of Philadelphia, present vice president.

MORAN TO GRAB WILLARD BOUT FROM FULTON?

New Orleans Promoters Talk of a Switch, but Fred's Manager Says No.

New Orleans, La., Dec. 24.—Local fight promoters who had arranged for a forty round bout here for the world's heavyweight championship on March 4 between Jess Willard, titleholder, and Fred Fulton of Rochester, Minn., tonight announced that Frank Moran of Pittsburgh probably would be substituted for Fulton.

A telegram was sent tonight in Tom Jones, Willard's manager, advising him to have Jack Curley of New York sign Moran for the fight.

COLLINS SPIKES YARN

'Twas the night before Christmas, and snowflakes were casting a mantle of snowy white over the loop district, while street hawkers, scant of wares and with only "dead ones" in sight, had turned their way homeward to count up when the sporting editor suddenly was awakened from serenity by the jangling of the telephone. No, it wasn't Toni Jones who wanted to talk. But it was someone who shortly will be closely associated with the loquacious manager of Champion Jess Willard. It was Mike Collins, manager of Fred Fulton.

"Did you hear that report from New Orleans that Fulton is not going to fight Willard and that the champion will fight Frank Moran?" inquired Collins. When informed that we had received the same tip Collins stamped the report as a dream and continued thuswise:

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"Why should Fulton not get a sweet chance to cop the world's heavyweight championship? We're not fighting around Chicago spending our money on hotel bills without figuring on future returns, and those returns are most certainly coming in when Fulton meets Willard in New Orleans on March 4. Now, here's just one more think I'd like to say, and that is that Fulton wishes the bout were to be fought tonight instead of three months from now. He is ready and anxious for the mill.

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All the "P. A." for the Gary show next Wednesday night could have been cut out on the typewriter last night as there were lines to the effect that all the leading were in training and in good shape for the bouts.

Larney Becomes Peevish.

Larney Lichtenstein, fight impresario extraordinary, got back yesterday from New York, whither he piloted Al Weigast and Joe Welling a couple of weeks ago. Larney is nursing considerable grouch because the fight writers of New York are running Weigast's absence every other day or so. Ad was forced to quit in his recent bout at Gotham with Leach Cross, and the general opinion seems to be that his ring career is ended.

"I stopped Weigast in his bout with Whitney at Atlanta and with Cross in New York," Larney relates. "Whitney butted Ad over the eye and the latter blinded Weigast. Cross opened the same cut, and the same thing happened. Weigast is not through yet—not by good ways."

NO WELSH-GALLANT BOUT

New York, Dec. 24.—Freddie Welsh today, through his manager, Harry Pollok, turned down the offer of Jack Gardner of the National A. C. of Denver for a ten round bout with Gilbert Gallant of Boston. The offer was for Jan. 17 and Welsh was to receive a guarantee of $1,600 with an option of 40 per cent of the gross receipts. A bout with Benny Leonard in Madison Square garden about the 17 was Welsh's reason for turning down the Denver offer.

SIGN FOR FEATHER BATTLE

Cleveland, O., Dec. 24.—Official papers for the fifteen round title bout between Featherweight Champion Johnny Kilbane and George Chaney at Dayton on the night of March 17 were signed this afternoon. Kilbane will get 35 per cent, the privilege of 40 per cent of gate receipts. William Roesp, Philadelphia sporting editor, will referee. It is also officially stated the bout is for the featherweight championship and must go fifteen rounds or to a decision.

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SCULLY EXTENDS SUFFRAGE RIGHT OF COOK WOMEN

Ruling to Give All Vote Powers Allowed Under Constitution of State.

County Judge Thomas F. Scully's Christmas present to the women of Chicago is full suffrage, up to the point that his own decision as head of the Chicago and Cicero election machinery does not conflict with the Illinois constitution.

Barring an official court order, the word came from the inside that Judge Scully has determined to direct the board of election commissioners to prepare for the 1916 elections along these lines:

Chicago and Cicero women shall have the right to vote for all offices and committeemen, not specifically prohibited by the constitution.

May Vote for Delegates.

Women shall have the definite privilege of voting for delegates to the Republican and Democratic national conventions.

Women may be candidates for, and women shall have the opportunity to vote for, ward committeemen in the Chicago wards and for precinct committeemen in the town of Cicero.

Women, if they shall pass the examination tests that are being prepared by Dennis J. Egan, clerk of the board of election commissioners, shall be utilized as judges and clerks of election wherever possible.

In short, the forthcoming opinion from Judge Scully will be a sweeping decision which will grant to women the right to participate in all of the Chicago primaries and elections of 1916, barring only the offices prescribed by the constitution—state offices, congressmen, legislators, and most of the county offices. The suffrage statute permits women now to vote for the nomination and election of members of the board of assessors and of the board of review.

Lucey's Concurrence Reported.

There is nothing from Springfield that indicates the disposition of Attorney General Lucey toward the essentials thus enumerated. In any event, as it is understood, politically, the local authorities in any county or in any of the eleven downstate cities operating under the "board of election commissioners" act will have the decisive word and the attorney general's opinion would be no more than advisory in any event.

The understanding is that Judge Scully and Attorney General Lucey were present at a conference when the matters enumerated were determined finally as legal and proper under the circumstances.

All politicians are now agreed that ward committeemen in Chicago will be elected in April.

"Wets" Plan Fight.

Notice was served during the day by Alfred Austrian, as attorney for the Manufacturers and Dealers' association, an organization of those who furnish equipment to saloons, that protest will be made at the proper time to many names upon the petition seeking that Chicago be made "dry" territory in April, 1916. Mr. Austrian's protest, formally made to State's Attorney Hoyne, presages a stiff legal attack wherever the submission of the wet and dry question in Chicago may be involved.

CITY HALL BACHELORS GET MASH NOTES FROM GIRLS.

And They Seem to Be Proud of Their New Hopes Now That Women Notice Them.

Publicity given to the names of eight bachelors on the city's legal staff has brought results. Assistant Corporation Counsel Charles E. Peace yesterday received the following letter:

"I saw your name THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE this morning as one of the unmarried assistant corporation counsels. I am 40 years old, have dark hair, blue eyes and am about 5 feet 3 inches in height. If your age corresponds with mine we might start a correspondence. I live 110 miles from Chicago."

The letter was written in Sterling, Ill. Corporation Counsel Samuel A. Ettelson received a telephone call from a woman who said she represented a matrimonial agency.

Harry L. Brin, another member of the staff, was telephoned by a "blonde lady" who wanted to see him for "twenty-five minutes."

Mr. Brin also said he received a telephone call from a widow, who, he reported, said she was the mother of two daughters — a brunette and a blonde — whom she wished to bring down to the city hall and go to lunch with Mr. Ettelson and Mr. Brin.

WARNS FALSE SIGNERS OF "DRY CHICAGO" PETITION.

Hoyne Announces Prosecution Fraud—Confers with Austrian. Will Follow Any Discoveries of

Prosecution of persons guilty of causing fictitious names to be placed on the petition to have the proposition of a dry Chicago on the ballot at the coming election was promised yesterday by State's Attorney Hoyne. He made the announcement after Attorney Alfred S. Austrian, attorney for the wet interests, had held a conference with him and asked his attitude on the matter.

T. R. ON TICKET IN MICHIGAN?

Petitions Circulated in Detroit to Place His Name on Ballot Filed in Lansing.

Lansing, Mich., Dec. 24.—Petitions to place the name of Theodore Roosevelt on the presidential primary ballot in Michigan as candidate of the national Progressive party were filed today with the secretary of state. Most of the signatures were obtained in Detroit. It is understood that former Progressives who have returned to the Republican party are giving impetus to a movement to have Col. Roosevelt's name also placed on the Republican ballot.

Pardoned, Soon Arrested.

Edward Donohue, who was pardoned from Bridewell last Tuesday by Judge Frank Johnson on his plea that he wanted liberty for Christmas, was rearrested on Thursday night and the same judge fined him $30 yesterday.

The Ontario Transportation & Pulp Company

will establish a regular water service between Chicago and Eastern points if it can be assured of east-going freights. Interested parties kindly communicate with

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SHE TELLS HOW

Woman Chauffeur Suggests Garages Atop of Loop Buildings.

Mrs MYRTLE ELLSWORTH

Mrs. Myrtle Ellsworth, said to be the first woman in America to take out a public chauffeur's license, has a suggestion directed toward relieving loop congestion. She suggests loop garages on office buildings. The Loop Traffic league, to whom Mrs. Ellsworth wrote, is considering the proposal.

"Elevators could be placed in the alley," she wrote. "It would not tie up alley traffic except when the cars were being loaded. An elevator boy, a man in the alley, and one in the garage would be sufficient to operate the system. It would help sell cars, as business men would have a place to store their cars during the day."

NATIONAL AUTO SHOW FRIDAY

New York Exhibit for Ten Days Will Draw Leaders of Motordom.

The National Automobile Chamber of Commerce will open the sixteenth annual automobile show at the Grand Central palace, New York City, next Friday. The exhibit will inaugurate a ten day period of activity among interests affiliated with the motor car industry and sport.

There will be elaborate banquets and important meetings by the manufacturers, where discussions will be held on the further progress of the automobile industry. Many of the manufacturers will tender luncheons and dinners to their visiting agents and dealers, while the accessory companies exhibiting at the show will do likewise.

87 Complete Car Companies.

And in view of the fact that there are eighty-seven companies exhibiting complete cars and 307 accessory manufactures at the show, it is obvious that the show week will consist of one day of commercial and social activity after another.

The banquet of the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce, which probably is the most magnificent affair held in any industry during the year, is scheduled for Tuesday, Jan. 4, at the Waldorf-Astoria. The foremost automobile manufacturers will attend this brilliant affair, and the following evening the Motor and Accessory Manufactures' banquet will be held at the same place.

However, the great amount of social activity is not an incentive for neglect of creating an enormous volume of business, which during the period of the show the great automobile institutions, involving millions of dollars, will consummate as in former years, for the automobile show is the clearing house of the industry.

Far West Comes Here.

While the New York show will attract visitors from every state in the union, it will not naturally draw as large attendance from the far west as the Chicago show will, which is under the same management, scheduled for Jan. 22-29. But both of these shows anticipate a record attendance this season, for the reason that the year 1916 promises to be the most prosperous automobile period in its history.

There will be special days during the week. Jan. 4 having been designated as Pioneers' day. This day has been arranged to make it convenient for the men who actually gave the industry its inception in this country to meet at the show and exchange greetings with one another. Following the custom of former years, there will be a Society day on Wednesday, Jan. 5, but this season a double admission will not be charged as in the previous years.

While it is impossible to state at the present time the exact number of cars and chassis to be exhibited, it is probable more than 300 cars, varying all the way from the tiny runabouts to the most expensive limousines, will be on exhibition.

Honor Flag for Police.

A large silk American flag presented to the police department by the state board of agriculture for services rendered during the state fair formally was turned over to Chief of Police Charles C. Healey yesterday by Mayor Thompson.

POLITICAL AIR CLARIFIED BY ACTION OF ROOT

Withdrawal of Name in Minnesota Aids Cummins' Candidacy, Washington Belief.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Washington, D. C., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—The refusal of former Senator Root to allow his name to go on the Minnesota presidential ballot has set the politicians in Washington speculating again.

Until Senator Root declined to make the fight for the Minnesota delegation it was generally regarded here that the first test between the progressive and conservative factions of the party would be staged in that state.

Senator Cummins of Iowa, an avowed candidate for the nomination, will attempt to get the Minnesota delegation to the national convention. It was believed that the conservatives would fall in line behind Senator Root in an effort to beat Cummins.

They are now canvassing the situation to discover whether any of the other candidates, particularly Burton or Weeks, would be available to run against Cummins.

In Race Despite Stand.

According to information which has reached Washington, Senator Root has eliminated himself from all contests for delegates. However, the impression prevails here that he is still a receptive candidate for the nomination and that nothing would please him better than to get it.

In going over the Republican situation leaders figure it about thus:

Receptive candidates—Borah, Root.

Active candidates—Sherman, Cummins, Weeks, Burton.

Favorite sons—Smith of Michigan, Fairbanks of Indiana, Penrose of Pennsylvania.

Doubtful receptive candidate—Hughes.

Doubtful as to whether active or receptive—Roosevelt.

Gives Boost to Cummins.

The withdrawal of Root from the Minnesota primary undoubtedly has given a boost to the Cummins boom, according to most every one.

Cummins, in the belief of many leaders, probably will go into the convention with more states behind him than any other candidate. Already it appears certain he will have Iowa and the two Dakotas and possibly Nebraska. Unless Burton or Weeks is drafted against him in Minnesota he probably will get that state.

In addition, Wisconsin Republicans are said to be looking with favor upon his candidacy. There is a possibility that Senator La Follette will enter the race and demand the support of the Republicans of his state. To date, however, La Follette has not indicated his intentions.

Sherman to Make Fight.

The supporters of Senator Sherman of Illinois intend to go out and make a fight for him after the first of the year in order to remove all suspicion that he is merely a favorite son candidate. They feel confident they will gather in a number of votes outside of Illinois before the convention opens.

The Weeks organization is all ready to do business also. Weeks hopes to carry all New England. He also expects to get several southern states. There is a tendency among the southerners, however, to have their delegates selected without instructions so they will have more power in the convention.

The word has been passed out in Virginia, West Virginia, and other states not to go on record in favor of any candidate, but to be ready to act for the most available one after the convention opens.

Fined on Girl's Charge.

Hugh McLean of 6138 Ingleside avenue, a switchman, was fined $25 by Judge Rooney yesterday on a charge of disorderly conduct made by Miss Effie Sackbach of 6234 St. Lawrence avenue, who said he brushed against her on the street.

COURT MAKES CHRISTMAS SAD DAY FOR QUACKS

Grundy County Jurist Puts Surprise in Fake Doctors' Stockings.

Morris, Ill., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—Judge S. C. Stough, the Grundy county Circuit court judge before whom C. B. Munday, Chicago banker, recently was convicted of having conspired to wreck the La Salle Street Trust and Savings bank, this evening gave Chicago quackery a beautiful Christmas present.

He restrained C. B. Ensign & Co., 143 South Dearborn street, Chicago, in their threat to assign a $50 note they hold for collection from Clarence Spiller, a Grundy county farmer, who gave it to Dr. W. H. Howell of Chicago last May under a written agreement, in which Howell guaranteed a cure for Spiller's indigestion.

Spiller had retained Frank S. Hayes, state's attorney of Grundy county and an assistant prosecutor of Muncay to defend him. When Hayes answered Ensign's letters he received a reply written word for word like the letter Attorney Louis A. Tower, Manteno lawyer, received from Ensign two years ago and which was published in full in THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE on Jan. 18, 1914.

In signing the injunction Judge Stough said:

"This is a most unusual proceeding, but it is the only way the outlying districts can protect themselves from Cook county quacks."

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Adams and Desplaines-sts.
Adjacent to the loop.
Masses on Sunday at 3:30, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10:45 (high mass), and 12 o'clock noon. Musical vespers (150 voices) at 3:30 p. m.
J. LEWIS BROWNE,
Organist and Choirmaster.

ST. LEO'S CHURCH,
78TH AND EMERALD-AV.
REV. D. J. CRIMMINS, PASTOR.
Masses on Christmas day will be at 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, and 11 o'clock. High masses will be celebrated at 5 o'clock and 11 o'clock. The Rev. D. J. Crimmins will preach at the first mass and the Rev. W. J. Bergen at the 11 o'clock mass. St. Leo's choir, accompanied by an orchestra, will sing La Hache's "Pro Pace" mass. Mr. Bernard Darnell, cello, and Mr. John Lilja, cornetist, and Clarence Linkenheld and Joseph Ryan, violinists, will assist.
Processional—Holy Night.....Gruber
"Pro Pace" mass.....La Hache
Offertorium—Adeste Fidelis.....Novello
Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament.
Miss Marie J. Brennan, organist.

OLD ST. MARY'S.
Paulist Fathers.
WABASH-AV. AND EAST NINTH-ST.
HIGH MASS, 11 A. M.
LOW MASSES, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, AND 10 A. M.
VESPERS, 4 P. M.
EVENING SERVICES, 8 P. M.
Paulist Choristers assist at high mass and vespers.

ST. AMBROSE,
47TH-ST. AND ELLIS.
REV. WM. FOLEY, PASTOR.
Special musical programs at midnight mass and at 11:15 A. M.
Choir assisted by artists of the Chicago Symphony orchestra.
HELEN C. PYNE,
ORGANIST AND DIRECTOR.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH,
CORNER POLK AND CLARK-STS.
FRANCISCAN FATHERS.
MASSES 5:30, 7, 8, 10.
HIGH MASS 10:15.
BENEDICTION SERVICE, 3 P. M.
FRIDAY, 7:30 P. M.
'STATIONS OF THE CROSS.'

CONGREGATIONAL.

THE NEW FIRST CHURCH,
ASHLAND AND WASHINGTON-BLVDS.
Dr. B. F. Aldrich, Minister.
10:30 a. m.—Varied Musical Service with Timely Sermon. Two Choirs, Quartet, String Instruments, Soloist.
7:45 P. M.: Pageant of the Nativity. Five tableaux with Rare Costuming and Illumination.
Tuesday, Dec. 28, 8:15 P. M.: Pageant of the Nativity (4th performance.
Send to the church for free tickets.

The Waveland Av. Church,
WAVELAND AND JANSSEN-AVS.
Rev. E. L. Reiner, Minister.
C. M. DENNIS, CHORISTER.
SUNDAY, DEC. 26, 11 A. M. AND 8 P. M. SPECIAL CHRISTMAS MUSIC & SERMONS.
TUESDAY, DEC. 28, 7:30 P. M. Program by our Sunday school. The birth of Christ told in story and songs, illustrated with stereopticon views. Edna Reiner Marshall will read Christmas story.

PLYMOUTH
Congregational Church,
Fiftieth-st., between Drexel-blvd. and Ellis-av.
REV. JOSEPH A. MILBURN.
11 A. M.: "The Incarnation in Its Human Phases." "Te Deum," by Stanford, and other special music.
DR. JUAN E. MAC LEAN, DIRECTOR.
FRANK M. BRONSON, Organist.
Chorus Choir.

EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN.

GRACE CHURCH,
[English.]
BELDEN-AV., NEAR LINCOLN PARK.
T. F. DORNBLASER, PASTOR.
Parsonage next to church.
11:00 a. m.—"The Purpose of the Incarnation." 7:45 p. m.: Christmas cantata.

EPISCOPAL.

ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S CHURCH,
STEWART-AV. AND N. NORMAL-PKWY.
THE REV. HAROLD W. SCHNIEWIND, Rector.
THE REV. MARSHAL B. STEWART, Assistant.
CHRISTMAS DAY.
8:00 A. M.—Holy Communion.
10:30 A. M.—Solemn High Mass and Procession.
1ST-2D SUNDAYS AFTER CHRISTMAS.
7:30 A. M.—Holy Communion.
9:30 A. M.—Children's Mass.
11:00 A. M.—High Mass and Sermon.
7:30 P. M.—Solemn Evensong and Sermon.

Church of the Epiphany,
ASHLAND-BLVD. AND ADAMS-ST.
Christmas Festival Services
Saturday at 7 and 10 A. M.
Sunday at 10:45 A. M.
Carol festival Sunday, 7:45 P. M.
Organist, Francis Hemington
Rector, Rev. H. W. Prince.

Calvary Episcopal Church,
"The West Side Catholic Parish."
3160 W. Monroe-st., near Kedzie-av.
Christmas Day: Masses 6, 7:30 and 10:30 A. M.
Sunday: Masses 7:30 and 10:45 A. M.
Mating 10:30. Solemn Vespers, 7:30 P. M.
REV. GEO. M. BABCOCK, Rector.

INDEPENDENT.

Abraham Lincoln Center.
ALL SOULS CHURCH,
Corner of Oakwood-blvd. and Langley-av.
JENKIN LLOYD JONES, PASTOR.
PROF. LEWIS B. FISHER
of the University of Chicago
will speak at 11 o'clock.
SUBJECT:
"THE INCARNATION."

CHRISTIAN SOCIALIST FELLOWSHIP,
DRILL HALL, MASONIC TEMPLE
SUNDAY AT 2:45.
ADDRESS
BY DR. IRWIN TUCKER ON
"WHAT CHRISTMAS MEANS TO A SOCIALIST."
MISS MARY O'REILLY,
"THE DESTINY OF WOMEN."

INDEPENDENT.

KENWOOD EVANGELICAL,
Cor. 46th and Greenwood.
This is a community or union church. We welcome to our services and to our Communion members of all Christian denominations. You will find on the list of our membership those who have come from every denomination, Catholic and Protestant. It appeals to the entire community.
Morning worship 10:30 o'clock. Sabbath school 12 m. The Pastor, Dr. Albert Joseph McCartney, will preach tomorrow.
"1915—A RETROSPECTION"
DR. PRESTON BRADLEY,
People's Church,
Wilson Avenue Theater.
11 A. M.

INTERDENOMINATIONAL.

TWO BIG NIGHTS AT THE BIG TABERNACLE,
COR. NORTH-AV. AND N. CLARK-ST.
PAUL RADER
Preaches
Christmas Night.
The Sunday school entertainment starts 6:30.
SUNDAY NIGHT
A NIGHT OF SPECIAL MUSIC AND SONG.
Doors Open 6:30.
THIS WILL BE A GOOD TIME TO COME AND BRING YOUR CHUMS.
Read Moody Church announcement.

THE MOODY CHURCH,
Cor. N. La Salle-st. and W. Chicago-av.
PAUL RADER,
PASTOR,
Preaches at 10:30 a. m.
Sunday school, 8 P. M.
THE ABOVE ARE THE ONLY MEETINGS
THE MOODY CHURCH HOLD IN THIS BUILDING.
Read Tabernacle announcement.

THE HUMBOLDT PARK GOSPEL TABERNACLE,
3639-41 W. NORTH-AV.
J. O. WESTER, PASTOR.
WILL SPEAK AT 11 A. M.
EVENING SERVICE, 7:30.

LUTHERAN.

WICKER PARK LUTHERAN CHURCH,
HOYNE-AV. and LE MOYNE-ST.
A. C. ANDA, PASTOR.
Services Christmas Day, 10:45 A. M.
Anthem, "He Shall Reign Forever," by Simper.
Solo, "Fear Not" (by Nevin), A. James Haupt.
SUNDAY, 10:45 A. M.—Anthem, "There Were Shepherds," by Dudley Buck. Duet, "He Shall Feed His Flock," (Handel), by Miss Amanda Brunkhorst, Miss Laurine Olson.
4 P. M.—Cantata, "Bethlehem" (by Maunder), chorus of 60 voices. Soloists—Miss Clara Jensen Wetzel, Mr. Haupt, and Mr. Rigg. Le Roy Irving Wetzel, Director and Organist.
ALL CORDIALLY WELCOME.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN.

ST. PAUL'S NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN CHURCH,
2215 NORTH-AV.
G. A. GULLIXON, PASTOR.
ENGLISH SONG SERVICE, 10 A. M.
NORWEGIAN SERVICE, 11 A. M.
CHRISTMAS DAY AND SUNDAY.

NEW THOUGHT.

BUSINESS AND RELIGION
MUST GO HAND IN HAND.
Church of Silent Demand,
Hall 913, Masonic Temple, Chicago.
THEODORE G. NORTHRUP
will speak at 11 o'clock. Subject: "The Inventory." Silent meeting 10:15.

FIRST NEW THOUGHT
CHURCH O. C. D. S.
803 Masonic Temple.
Class 10 a. m. Lecture 11 a. m.
SUBJECT:
"Future Life—How to Prepare for It."
PROF. L. P. KAY, Pastor Emeritus.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

ST. JAMES METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH,
CORNER 40TH-ST. AND ELLIS.
Chas. Bayard Mitchell, Pastor
11 A. M.: "THE UNSPEAKABLE GIFT."
7:45 P. M.: "THE MANGER BABE."
SPECIAL XMAS MUSIC.

FIRST M. E. CHURCH,
S. E. Cor. Clark and Washington-sts.
Rev. Wm. Macafee, Pastor.
At 10:40 A. M.: "Christmas in the Light of the European War."
At 7:30 P. M.: "The Purpose of Christ's Coming."
SPECIAL CHRISTMAS MUSIC.

Garfield Park M. E. Church,
WALNUT-ST. AND KEDZIE-AV.
E. B. CRAWFORD, PASTOR.
10:30 a. m.—"Taking Our Bearings."
7:45 p. m.—"My Failures—1915."
Glenola M. Coleman reads "Not Understood."
Watch Night Service Friday Eve., 9-12.
HEART CHEERING SERVICES.

PRESBYTERIAN.

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,
MICHIGAN-AV. AND 26TH-ST.
11 A. M.
Christmas morning sermon,
"THE WONDERFUL NAME"
By DR. WISHART.
SUNDAY SERVICES.
11 A. M.: "THE SAGES AND THE BABY."
4:30 P. M.: "THE LESSER LIGHTS OF SONG."
7:45 P. M.: MAUNDER'S "BETHLEHEM," BY THE CHOIR.
Dr. Wishart will speak at the morning and afternoon services.

HYDE PARK CHURCH,
BLACKSTONE-AV. AND 53D-ST.
ALEXANDER ALISON JR., PASTOR.
Sunday after Christmas.
11:00—CHRISTMAS MUSIC AND MEDITATION ON THE PASSING OF THE YEAR.
7:45—NEW CHOIR WILL RENDER WOODMAN'S BEAUTIFUL CANTATA.
"The Message of the Star."
BIBLE SCHOOL 9:45. BEGINNERS 11:00.
A Merry Christmas to Our Readers!
TEST OUR WELCOME!

FOURTH PRESBYTERIAN, CHURCH,
LINCOLN PKWY. AND DELAWARE-PL.
JOHN TIMOTHY STONE, MINISTER.
Regular services 11 a. m. and 4 and 8 p. m.
CHRISTMAS SERMONS AND SPECIAL CHRISTMAS MUSIC.
ERIC DE LAMARTER, Organist and Choir Director.

BUENA MEMORIAL,
SHERIDAN-RD. AND BROADWAY.
Rev. Henry Hepburn, Pastor.
Sunday Services.
Morning, 10:30 ..... "Room for Christ"
Evening, 7:45 ..... "What if Jesus Had Not Been Born?"
Special Christmas Music.

CRERAR MEMORIAL,
PRAIRIE-AV. AND 57TH-ST.
Rev. John W. Nicely, Minister
11 a. m.—"If Christ Be in Our Christmas."
Special Music by Quartet Choir.
7:15 p. m.—"Children's Christmas Service," Led by O. J. Prentice, Supt. Bible School.

WOODLAWN PARK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,
KIMBARK-AV. AND 61TH-ST.
Edw. Harvey Curtis, Pastor.
11 A. M.: CHRISTMAS SERMON:
Special Xmas Music. Evening Service: Organ Recital and Special Music.

PRESBYTERIAN.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN,
41ST-ST. AND GRAND-BLVD.
WM. CHALMERS COVERT, MINISTER.
10:30—Special Christmas Music.
Choir 30 Voices. Assisted by
Bruno Steindel, Cello;
Enrico Tramonti, Harp;
Alexander Kruss, Violin.
7:45—Special Music.
DR. COVERT WILL PREACH AT BOTH SERVICES.

REFORMED EPISCOPAL.

CHRIST CHURCH,
MICHIGAN-AV. AND 24TH-ST.
CHRISTMAS DAY, 10:45 A. M.
Rev. Samuel M. Gibson, D. D., PREACHES.
"THE FIRST CHRISTMAS CAROL."
SUNDAY, DEC. 26, 10:45 A. M.
BISHOP CHENEY
Preaches the annual sermon to YOUNG MEN AND YOUNG WOMEN.
"WHAT A YOUNG MAN INHERITED."

SUNDAY EVENING CLUBS.

WEST SIDE SUNDAY NIGHT CLUB,
DR. MARTIN D. HARDIN,
Pastor of Third Presbyterian Church,
Ashland-blvd. and Ogden-av.
SUNDAY, DEC. 26, AT 8 P. M.
EVENING OF CHRISTMAS MUSIC.
Arias from Handel's "Messiah."
"REJOICE GREATLY," MRS. MARY GREEN FROEHLICH.
"O THOU THAT TELLEST GOOD TIDINGS," MISS MABEL CORLEW.
"BEHOLD AND SEE," MR. CLARK SHIPP.
"THE PEOPLE THAT WALKED IN DARKNESS," MR. GAGE CHRISTOPHER.
Christmas Carols by the Chorus.
ALL INVITED.
SEATS FREE.

NORTH SHORE SUNDAY EVENING CLUB,
WILSON-AV. AND SHERIDAN-ROAD.
PROF. R. R. LLOYD,
Subject: "Seeing God and Being Happy."
DEC. 26—7:45 P. M.—DEC. 26.
SPECIAL MUSIC.
LARGE CHOIR. SEATS FREE.

ENGLEWOOD SUNDAY EVENING CLUB,
YALE-AV. AND 66TH-ST.
SUNDAY EVENING, DEC. 26:
Dr. Thomas Edward Green,
"WHO PAYS?"
Englewood Sunday Evening Club Choir.
Soloist, Mrs. Agnes Hansel-Harter, Centralia.
ADMISSION FREE. COME EARLY.

OAKLAND SUNDAY EVENING CLUB,
MEMORIAL CHURCH OF CHRIST.
Oakwood-blvd., near Cottage Grove-av.
11 A. M.: DR. HERBERT L. WILLETT, "THE ROAD TO YESTERDAY."
4:30 CHRISTMAS VESPERS.
Stereopticon story of "The Christ Child" and "The White Gift for the King."
SPECIAL CHRISTMAS MUSIC.

SPIRITUALIST.

Newberry Spiritualist Society
BUSH TEMPLE,
CHICAGO-AV. AND CLARK-ST.
SUNDAY MEETINGS
Mrs. J. E. Adams, 2:45 p. m., Lecture and Messages. 7:45 p. m., Mrs. B. Frederick. Circles at 4 p. m. Healing Class, 1 p. m. Excellent choirs and good messages heretofore.
SOLO BY CLIFFORD SCOTT.

HIGHER SPIRITUALISM,
MASONIC TEMPLE,
State and Randolph-sts.
HALL 806—11 A. M.
"Who Is God, and Where Is He Hiding?"
EFFA E. DANELSON.

OCCULT SCIENCE CHURCH
WILL HOLD SERVICES EVERY SUNDAY EVENING
AT 8 P. M.
DOOR OPEN AT 7 P. M.
3014 VINCENNES-AV.
Messages voiced from loved ones through
MRS. A. BROCKWAY, Pastor

BEACON LIGHT SPIRITUAL CHURCH,
1900 N. CLARK-ST., 2:30 AND 8 P. M.
Speaker, Mr. Charles E. Schaffer, Chicago's Most Prominent Message Bearer. Readings Wednesday, 2 to 3. 10c. Evening, 8 p. m. Watch night meeting Dec. 31, 8 p. m.

SPIRITUALIST.

Fraternal Spiritualists,
AUDITORIUM,
325 North-av., corner Sedgwick-st.
Roast Geese Supper at 6 p. m., 35c.
DREXEL HALL,
Cottage Grove-av. and 40th-st.
Special Christmas services 2:30 and 8 p. m.
ANNUAL UNION WATCH MEETING
New Year's Eve. Lincoln M'll 15 Adams-st.
Program at 8 p. m. Dance 10 p. m.
Admission 10c. Dance 15c.

UNIVERSAL SPIRITUAL CHURCH,
HALL C, THEATER BLDG., 461 E. 31ST-ST.
8 P. M.: LECTURE BY
MRS. MARGARET HENRY,
FOLLOWED BY MESSAGES.
USUAL 8 P. M. MEETING WITH MESSAGES.

ZION.

ZION TABERNACLE,
MICHIGAN-AV. and 26TH-ST.
[Get off at 26th-st.]
3:00 P. M., LORD'S DAY, DECEMBER 26, 1915.
SUBJECT:
"THE END OF THE WORLD; OR, WHAT WILL HAPPEN TO CHICAGO WHEN GABRIEL BLOWS HIS TRUMPET."
Special music by Semi-Chorus.
DIVINE HEALING MEETING EVERY TUESDAY, AT 3:00 P. M.

MISCELLANEOUS.

GARRICK THEATER,
2:30.
Doors open at 2:00.
Great Public Debate.
"IS THE UNIVERSE RULED BY A PERSONAL GOD?"
Affirmative:
THE REV. EDWARD ELLIS CARR.
Negative:
ARTHUR M. LEWIS.

ETHICAL SOCIETY,
(Standing for Religion without Creed or Dogma.)
Fine Arts Theater at 11 A. M.
MR. HORACE J. BRIDGES,
"THE WORSHIP OF THE CHILD: A CHRISTMAS SERMON."

CENTRAL CHURCH,
AUDITORIUM THEATER.
DR. F. W. GUNSAULUS
will speak at 11 a. m.
Doors open 10:30.
CHRISTMAS SERVICE.
SPECIAL MUSIC.

M. M. MANGASARIAN,
Majestic Theater.
December 26th, 11 A. M.
"OVER-POPULATION OR A DECLINING POPULATION: WHICH IS THE GREATER MENACE?"

INDEPENDENT RELIGIOUS SOCIETY.
WEST SIDE
PEOPLE'S FORUM,
ROBEY-ST. AND WARREN-AV.
RABBI RUDOLPH I. COFFEE
FROM PITTSBURGH.
"The Jew's Contribution to American Freedom."
7:45 P. M. FREE.

BAHAI ASSEMBLY,
18TH FLOOR MASONIC TEMPLE,
SUNDAY 3:30 P. M.
86. JOHN HALL.
Subject: "The Doctrine of Return." (Continued.)

PLANS $900,000 FIREPROOF COLD STORAGE PLANT

Beatrice Creamery Company to Build Warehouse on St. Charles Air Line.

An important long term lease in the South State street district adjacent to the St. Charles Air Line road right of way, involving the erection of a big cold storage warehouse to cost in the neighborhood of $900,000 has been closed. The property which fronts 180 feet on State street, extending west 833 feet to Dearborn street, upon which it also fronts 130 feet, has been leased by the Dearborn Foundry company to the Beatrice Creamery company for a term of 198 years from Nov. 1 at an annual rental of $15,000, or 5 per cent on a capitalized valuation of $300,000.

The improvements now on the property, covering a large part of it, formerly occupied by the Dearborn Foundry company, will be razed at once, it is said, and within sixty days the work of construction will begin, the proposed building to be completed within one year. The deal was negotiated by J. J. Harrington & Co. who represented both parties.

Does $12,000,000 Business.

The Beatrice company is a large western institution which came to Chicago about ten years ago from Beatrice, Neb., and is now said to be doing a business of approximately $12,000,000 a year. The plant it is said will be one of the most modern of its kind in the country. Part of the building will be used for cold storage and part for the manufacture and distribution by the Fox River Butter company which it is stated does a business of around $12,000,000 a year.

Plans for the proposed building are being completed by John Ahlschlager & Sons, architects. It is undecided whether the building will be a six or an eight story but it will be of fire-proof and sprinklered construction. It is expected to cost $600,000 and equipment $300,000 and will contain 4,000,000 cubic feet of storage space.

Thompson Leases Space.

Some interesting leases in the down town district have been closed, in one of which the John R. Thompson company has leased from the estate of F. R. Otis a double store on Jackson boulevard in the building formerly occupied by the Hub Clothing store, at the northwest corner of State street and Jackson boulevard. The lease runs for a term of ten years and two months beginning March 1, at a total rental of $122,000. The Otis estate was represented by Willoughby & Company while E. F. Keebler & Co. represented the John R. Thompson company.

The store, which has a frontage of 27 feet, with a depth of 60, adjoins the building entrance on the east and includes space in the basement. The lessee will, it is stated, expend approximately $25,000 in alterations and repairs and for fixtures, and will occupy the same for lunch room purposes.

The John R. Thompson company, now a $6,000,000 corporation, operates 40 stores in Chicago and 88 in the United States and Canada, the company recently having leased three additional stores in New York City where it controls exclusive restaurant privileges in the new Grand Central depot. It also has just closed a 21 year lease in the same city for a building 90 x 100 feet on East Thirty-fourth street to be occupied as a commissary.

State Street Lease.

Another important lease said to have been closed in the down town district is one by which Browning King & Co. have extended their lease on the property at 131 State street for five years from May 1 next at a reported annual rental of $42,500, said to be an increase over the figure they are at present paying. The building fronts 40 feet with a depth of 146 feet and is four stories high. It belongs to the estate of Matilda Hamline.

An interesting transaction in the Kenwood district involving extensive improvement was made a matter of record yesterday. It was the sale by John C. Kristenstein, the builder, to the estate of Thomas E. Wells of the thirty apartment building of four and five rooms on Kenwood avenue, 198 feet north of East Forty-seventh street, lot 100 x175 feet, west front, for an indicated consideration of $82,500. The Wells estate in turn conveyed to Mr. Kreitenstein 312½ feet vacant on Vincennes and 487½ feet on Forrestville avenue, 100 feet south of Forty-seventh street, west front, for an indicated consideration of $85,000. He plans to improve with apartment buildings to cost about $350,000.

West Side Transfer.

There was also filed for record another transfer in the district on the west side of the river comprising a part of the terminal properties of the Pennsylvania and associated roads. The property is located on the northeast corner of Taylor street and Stewart avenue, and was sold for an indicated consideration of $170,610. It was conveyed by the Union Trust company of Chicago to the Chicago Union Station company and is in addition to the large conveyance made by the trust company to the station company early in the week.

Richard A. Connell has sold for Mangus Meyer to Marks and Brown the 100 feet with improvements thereon at 4532-38 Sheridan road for a reported consideration of $66,000 cash, which is at the rate of $660 a front foot. The property has an east frontage and is about 200 feet south of Wilson avenue. It is reported that $2,500 a foot was offered and refused for the southwest corner of Sheridan road and Wilson avenue.

Carpenter Street Deal.

The property at the southwest corner of Sixty-first and Carpenter streets, lot 40x125 feet with brick business improvements, has been sold by Joe Arkin to Louis Fink for an indicated consideration of $32,000, subject to an encumbrance of $17,500.

There was filed for record a transfer by Jannie Mayer to Julius Frankel of the property on North Dearborn street, 85 feet south of Kinzie street, 20x70 feet, for an indicated consideration of $24,000. The transaction is interesting for the reason that it is the last parcel of ground which was acquired in connection with the project for the building of a $900,000 cold storage warehouse at the southwest corner of Dearborn and Kinzie streets, which was mentioned in The Tribune of yesterday. Albert L. Strauss was the broker in the transaction.

A Sheridan road deal involving extensive improvements was the sale by Charles H. Schlacks to Emil W. Carlson of the 85x221 feet at the southwest corner of Grace street, for a reported consideration of $40,000, at the rate of about $460 a front foot. It is stated the purchaser will improve with high grade apartments to cost in the neighborhood of $250,000. Mitchell Brothers were the brokers.

Real Estate Transfers.

ROGERS PARK.

Bosworth-av., 149 n of Albion, e f, 50x124, rev stamp $5, Dec. 21 [Est. Margaret J. Sadler to Henry A. Sadler] 10
Coyle-av., 183 w of N. Rockwell-st., s f, 25x125, rev stamp 50c, Dec. 16 [A. D. Birdsall to Wm. L. Peterbaugh] 1

LAKE VIEW.

Berwyn-av., 2134, s f, 30x124, rev stamp $1.50, incumb. $4,700, Dec. 22 [J. F. Ryan to Joseph Burke] 1
Fullerton-av., 200 w of Clybourn, s f, 50x82 on e and 108 on w, rev stamp $1.50, incumb. $2,500, Dec. 9 [Laura Simmons to Magdalena Michels] 10
Halsted-st., N., 189 n of Graceland-av., e f, 50x115, m or less, rev stamp $15, incumb $15,000, Dec. 21 [De Forrest A. Matteson to Wm. H. and Max C. Killian, Hattie C. Anderson, and Edward W. Killian] 10
Hermitage-av., 274 n of Waveland, w f, 25x107, rev stamp $1.50, incumb $2,000, Dec. 9 [J. Stuart Philip to Louise M. Axelson] 10
Hoyne-av., N., 284 s of Argyle-st., e f, 25x140, rev stamp 50c, Dec. 14 [Henry Matchen to Lena Reitmeier] 10
Hoyne-av., N., 207 s of Argyle-st., e f, 37x140, rev stamp $1.50, Dec. 14 [Henry Matchen to George Lacchle] 10
Lill-av., 284 e of N. Racine, n f, 24x124, rev stamp $1.50, incumb $2,000, Dec. 22 [J. W. Klauck to Anton V. Dlouhy] 2,200
Lincoln-st., 166 s of Diversey-pkwy., e f, 25x125, incumb $650, rev stamp $1, Dec. 22 [Severin Anderson to Marcus N. Gustavson] 10
Osgood-st., 225 s of Belmont-av., w f, 25x125, incumb $2,500, rev stamp $1.50, Dec. 10 [Rudolph Bartelmann to Arthur L. Bixby] 10
Otto-st., 129 w of W. Ravenswood-pk., n f, 24x125, m or less, incumb $1,500, rev stamp $2, Dec. 7 [Barbara Gerhardy to Amandus Borscha] 3,500
Roscoe-st., 72 e of N. Seeley-av., s f, 24x125, incumb $3,000, pur mon t d, rev stamp 50c, Dec. 21 [Christian Paasch to Johanna Heinrich] 2,250
Seminary-av., 2450, e f, 30x126, July 17 [Est. Emily Espey quitclaims to Gustav Mats et al.] 1
Same ppty—Rev stamp $4, June 10 [I. W. Espey to Gustav Mats et al.] 6,000
Same ppty—Rev stamp $4.50, Dec. 20 [Gustav Mats to Ella Wolf] 10
Seminary-av., 121 n of Montana-st., e f, 30x120, rev stamp $4.50, Dec. 20 [Jackson Richardson to Ella Wolf] 100
Victoria-st., 326 e of N. Clark, s f, 40x124, incumb $12,500, rev stamp $3, Dec. 4 [J. W. Ries to Mathilda Hoffmann] 10

JEFFERSON.

Avers-av., N., 201 s of Montrose, w f, 30x125, rev stamp $2.50, Dec. 23 [Elizabeth Forbes to Leroy F. Washburn] 1
Belle Plaine-av., 166 w of Monticello, n f, 25x125, incumb $2,000, rev stamp $2.50, Dec. 23 [Ella J. Washburn to Elizabeth Forbes] 4,500
Central Park-av., N., 179 s of W. Argyle-st., w f, 40x125, rev stamp $3, incumb $3,600, Dec. 23 [Edward Radtke to Chris Peterson] 10
Cullom-av., 242 w of Leclaire-av., n f, 30x125, rev stamp $2.50, Dec. 22 [H. F. Hughes to Jessie C. Stanford] 10
Central Park-av., N., 4145, e f, 30x125, rev stamp $1.50, incumb $1,800, Dec. 23 [Gustav Krohn to Chas. Schiote] 3,000
Crawford-av., s e cor W. Dakin-st., w f, 47x147, rev stamp $2.50, sub to 2 t d, Dec. 21 [Louise Ahrens to Jos. T. Webb] 10
Crawford-av., N., 2040, e f, 25x125, rev stamp $2, Dec. 20 [C. R. Hansen to Chas. R. Hommes] 3,000
Elston-av., 214 n w of Lawrence-av., n e f, 25x111.98 ft on n w and 104 ft on s e, rev stamp $2, Dec. 6 [Louis Fry to Edward Dahl] 1
Fullerton-av., 50 e of Ballou-st., n f, 25x118, rev stamp $1.50, Dec. 17 [Caroline A. S. Fernitz to O. Henry] 3,100
Humboldt-st., 173 s of Sunnyside-av., e f, 45x125, rev stamp $1.50, Dec. 10 [Russell Tyson to Edward F. Elbrecht] 1,410
Hutchinson-st., 141 w of Cicero-av., s f, 111x125, rev stamp 50c, incumb $52,800, Dec. 23 [Frank Kowalski to Karol Gladkowski] 500
Irving Park-blvd., n w cor Parkside-av., s f, 58x125, rev stamp $1, sub to t d, Nov. 1 [O. L. Watson to Wm. F. Riley] 2,600
Keeler-av., 141 n of Fullerton-av., e f, 25x125, rev stamp $1, incumb $2,700, Dec. 17 [Ludmil Kandlik to Daniel Boryszczuk] 3,300
Keeler-av., 216 n of Fullerton-av., e f, 25x125, rev stamp 50c, incumb $2,800, Dec. 18 [Ludmil Kandlik to Frank Ehret] 3,000
Kostner-av., 160 n of W. Argyle-st., w f, 60x128, rev stamp 50c, March 26 [State bank of Chicago to Clyde P. Miller] 10
Lawrence-av., W., 108 e of N. Lawndale, s f, 50x125, rev stamp $11, incumb $2,000, sub to 2 t d, Dec. 23 [James Tinley to Jeanette Abrams] 10
Le Claire-av., 300 n of Bloomingdale, w f, 75x125, rev stamp $2.50, Dec. 23 [J. C. Chambers to George R. Unkefer Co.] 1
Marmora-av., 61 n of Altgeld, e f, 28x124, rev stamp 50c, Dec. 17 [William Zuetell to Louis Costello] 225
Montana-st., 50 e of Kilbourn-av., s f, 25x120, rev stamp 50c, Dec. 18 [Mary G. Hynes to Maurice J. McNamara] 10
Monticello-av., 249 n of Ainslie-st., e f, 35x125, rev stamp $1, Dec. 18 [Elizabeth Hintz to Louis F. Bayer] 10
Normandy-av., 119 n of George-st., w f, 119x125, rev stamp 50c, Dec. 4 [C. T. & T. Co. tr. to Ernest Ruden] 1
Spaulding-av., 189 s of Irving Park-blvd., w f, 50x125, rev stamp $1, Dec. 22 [Caroline Weibe to Aaron Johnson] 1,000
Tripp-av., 97 s of Cullom, e f, 33x125, rev stamp $1.50, incumb $1,800, Dec. 22 [Geo. C. Hield to Wm. J. Curnow] 10
Troy-st., N., 201 n of Lawrence-av., w f, 30x125, rev stamp $4, incumb $4,500, Dec. 23 [A. V. Dloughy to John W. Klauck et al.] 8,500

NORTH TOWN.

Dearborn-av., N., 85 s of Kinzie-st., e f, 20x70, rev stamp $24, Dec. 15 [Jennie Mayer to Julius Frankel] 24,000
Erie-st., 149 w of Wells, s f, 50x100, Dec. 20 [A. B. Herrmann to Alexander Bauer] 1

SOUTH TOWN.

Forest-av., 199 n of 33d-st., w f, 16x125, rev stamp $2.50, Dec. 9 [Nellie H. Plass et al. to Sylvia Allen] 10

HYDE PARK.

Bennett-av., 497 s of 73d-st., w f, 110x134, rev stamp $3, Dec. 23 [Grace A. McKey to Ernest J. Radke] 10
Berkeley-av., s w cor E. 42d-pl., e f, 51x121, rev stamp $19, Dec. 23 [American Trust & S. Bk. tr. et al., by m in c, to North American Union] 18,561
Central-av., n w cor E. 68th-st., e f, 50x125, rev stamp $20, incumb $20,000, Dec. 22 [Murray Wolbach to David N. Hanson] 10
Chauncey-av., 117 n of E. 82d-st., e f, 40x122, rev stamp $2.50, incumb $2,900, Dec. 1 [Joseph Benson et al. to Byron A. Dent] 5,200
Cottage Grove-av., s e cor E. 54th-st., w f, 82x150, rev stamp $17, Dec. 22 [D. N. Hanson Jr. to Murray Wolbach] 10
Cottage Grove-av., 215 n of 61st-st., w f, 25x165, rev stamp $1, incumb $1,500, Dec. 21 [J. M. Thompson to Fred J. Fadner] 2,500
Evans-av., 177 s of E. 46th-st., w f, 25 x120, rev stamp $1, incumb $4,000, Dec. 18 [J. R. Pickell to Bessie L. Shipnes] 10
Ewing-av., 225 n of 102d-st., e f, 25x121, rev stamp $6.50, Dec. 21 [J. P. Otto to Thos. F. Murphy] 6,500
46th-st., E., 1239, n f, 19.8x120, rev stamp $3.50, Dec. 17 [C. D. Richardson to Gertrude Scholl] 1
Indiana-av., 199 s of 58th-st., w f, 25x161, rev stamp $4, sub to t d, Dec. 10 [Fannie Burns to Michael O. Shelleasy] 1
Kensington-av., 480 e of Michigan, s f, 25x160, rev stamp 50c, Dec. 15 [Caroline H. Faber to Francesco S. Napole et al.] 10
Kenwood-av., 198 n of E. 47th-st., w f, 100x175, rev stamp $82.50, Dec. 8 [J. C. Kristenstein to est. Thos. E. Wells] 10
Lake Park-av., 4100, s f, rev stamp $3.50, incumb $1,000, Dec. 1 [Helen Shimanski to Wm. J. Umbach] 3,300
Langley-av., 231 s of E. 79th-st., e f, 30x124, rev stamp $1, Dec. 10 [Russell Tyson to Adolph A. Johnson] 900
Rhodes-av., 7230, w f, 25x123, rev stamp $1.50, incumb $1,250, Dec. 21 [Andrew Christensen to Konrad Kei et al.] 2,500
Vincennes-av., 100 s of E. 47th-st., w f, 162x123, m or less and 12 other lots same blk, rev stamp $85, Dec. 22 [Mary Wells et al., tr of est. T. E. Wells, to John C. Kristenstein] 85,000
Wabash-av., 197 n of 80th-st., w f, 30x160, rev stamp $1, pur mon note $2,700, Dec. 21 [Emma Clancy to John C. O'Leary] 3,700

LAKE.

Aberdeen-st., 216 s of 52d, e f, 25x124, rev stamp $1, incumb $1,000, Dec. 9 [Est. Margaret Liston to Nellie G. Liston] 1
Albany-av., 469 s of 53d-st., e f, 24x125, rev stamp 50c, Dec. 15 [State Bk. of Chgo to Werner H. Sommers] 285
Campbell-av., 89 s of 56th-st., w f, 24x125, rev stamp $1.50, incumb $2,000, Dec. 16 [Dirk De Jong to August F. Hallmann] 10
Campbell-av., 259 s of 63d-st., e f, 24x124, rev stamp 50c, Dec. 20 [Ida Westerholm to Boniface Piwarunas] 10
Fairfield-av., S., 175 n of W. 46th-st., w f, 25x125, rev stamp 50c, Nov. 6 [Chas. Koski to Ludwik Saczyuk] 10
Federal-av., 77 n of 58th-st., w f, 25x20, rev stamp $1, incumb $1,500, Nov. 22 [C. A. Bosserl to Chas. T. Pointer] 10
56th-st., W., 98 e of Maplewood-av., s f, 25x125, rev stamp $2, Sept. 7 [C. T. & T. Co. to Karl Abert] 1,600
46th-st., W., 277 e of Sacramento-av., n f, 27x122, rev stamp $3.50, Aug. 30 [Stanley Grems to Joseph Grems] 3,250
40th-pl., W., 291 e of S. Albany-av., n f, 27x125, rev stamp $3, Oct. 19 [John Cichomskiewicz to Andrzej Wilk] 3,000
S. 43d-av., 60 s of W. 56th-st., w f, 30x125, rev stamp 50c, Dec. 16 [State Bank of Chicago to Charles Coeo] 125
48th-st., 250 e of Halsted, n f, 24x125, and o p, rev stamp 50c, Dec. 15 [Melchior Hoerner to Joseph W. Hough] 1,300
48th-st., 250 e of Halsted, n f, 24x125, and o p, rev stamp 50c, Dec. 15 [Winifred G. Gross to Joseph W. Hough] 10
Honore-st., w f, 30x125, incumb $1,500, March 8, 1915 [William N. Butterworth to Edward F. McFarland] 3,000
Justine-st., 258 s of 65th, w f, 25x124, rev stamp 50c, incumb $250, Dec. 23 [T. J. Bowen to Clara Schuette] 1
Laflin-st., 198 s of W. 53d, w f, 100x172, rev stamp $1, Dec. 14 [Louise W. McAvoy et al. to Alfred G. Callham] 10
S. Lincoln-st., 148 s of W. 57th, e f, 30x124, Dec. 8 [W. S. Hood to H. N. Platt] 1
Marshfield-av., 169 s of 68d-st., e f, 25x125, Dec. 17 [Pearl Blackney et al. quitclaim to John A. Anderson] 10
Marshfield-av., 166 s of 68d-st., e f, 25x125, rev stamp $1, Dec. 23 [J. A. Anderson to George W. Calkins] 1,000
Marshfield-av., 141 n of 68d-st., e f, 25x124, March 21, 1914 [Bertha Kaufman to Thomas M. Moroney] 1,900
Mozart-st., 244 n of W. 46th, w f, 27x125, rev stamp $2, Dec. 4 [Julian Kemendant to Johan Zajoric] 1,800
Princeton-av., 175 n of 51st-st., e f, 75x118, rev stamp $3, Dec. 20 [Jacob Graffy to Emil Graffy] 1
Richmond-st., 141 n of 53d-st., w f, 48x125, rev stamp $1, Dec. 6 [Olivia M. Taft to Otto Kratochvil] 550
Rockwell-st., 68 n of W. 60th-st., e f, 30x125, rev stamp $3, incumb $3,500, Dec. 18 [B. Pinkert to C. L. Simmons] 4,500
Sacramento-av., 140 s of W. 53d-st., e f, 30x125, rev stamp $1, Dec. 11 [C. T. & T. Co. tr. to Frederick C. Jasmund Jr.] 775
Sangamon-st., S., 125 s of W. 60th-st., w f, 30x124, rev stamp $1.50, Dec. 15 [E. J. Bohan to Lucinda E. Christensen] 1,200
79th-st., W., 50 w of Harvard-av., n f, 25x125, rev stamp $1, Dec. 2 [F. H. Bartlett to Robt. E. Flannery] 1,000
51st-st., W., s w cor Carpenter-st., n f, 40x125, rev stamp $14.50, incumb $17,500, Dec. 2 [Joe Arkin to Louis Fink] 32,000
Talman-av., S., 231 s of W. 51st-st., e f, 30x125, rev stamp 50c, Dec. 21 [Vaclav Cech to Frank Pleshar] 425
Throop-st., S., 234 s of W. 51st-st., w f, 32x124, rev stamp $1.50, Dec. 16 [Henry Morgan to Fort Dearborn Trust & Sav. bank, tr] 1
Yale-av., s e cor W. 48th-st., w f, 65x78, rev stamp $12, Dec. 6 [C. H. Hefter to Charles Chanson] 10

CALUMET.

Butler-st., 143 n of W. 117th-st., w f, 182x124, rev stamp $2.50, Nov. 1 [C. D. Gano to Gerrit Pon] 2,185
Butler-st., 143 n of W. 117th, w f, 182x124, rev stamp $2.50, Nov. 1 [C. D. Gano to Gerrit Pon] 2,185
Carpenter-st., 267 s of 88th, w f, 33x125, rev stamp $2, incumb $1,800, Dec. 20 [F. W. Graham to Adolphina Becker] 10
Hoyne-av., S., 165 n of W. 90th-st., w f, 75x128 m or less, rev stamp $2, Dec. 2 [William Ashton to George B. Irons] 2,000
102d-pl., W., 273 w of Morgan-st., n f, 100x125, rev stamp 50c, June 16 [J. W. Casey to Peter Lando] 1
Parnell-av., 275 n of 119th-st., e f, 66x123 and o p, rev stamp $2.50, Dec. 17 [C. D. Gano to Gerrit Pon] 10
State-st., S., 200 n of W. 94th-st., e f, 25x122, rev stamp 50c, Dec. 9 [F. H. Bartlett to Henry Perry] 250
Winston-av., 732 n of 90th-st., w f, 100x14 on n and 131 on s, rev stamp $1.50, Dec. 14 [Leonard Ficklin to Patrick E. Drumm] 1,500

WEST TOWN.

Taylor-st., n e cor Stewart-av., 1,032 2-10 sq ft and o p, ctg 9,912 7-10 sq ft and o p, rev stamp $171, Oct. 13 [the Union Trust Co. of Chicago to the Chicago Union Station Co.] 170,610
Taylor-st., n e cor Stewart-av., s f, 655x 500.67.62 e of Stewart-av., except 55,025 sq ft, rev stamp $542.50, Oct. 13 [the Union Trust Co. to Ciris T. Kelly] 1
Madison-st., 150 e of Canal, s f, 150x268 with 200 n f, on Washington, Dec. 20 the Sanitary Dist. of Chicago to Abner J. Stillwell] 31,644
River, bet Polk and Taylor, e f, 522 e of Stewart-av., on s and 156 e of Ellsworth-ct. on the n, ctg 26,116 sq ft, rev stamp $331.50, Dec. 17 [Carl F. Kelly to the Sanitary District of Chicago] 331,250
Madison-st., 260 e of N. Canal, s f, 102x 90, m or less, and o p, Dec. 20 [The Sanitary District of Chicago] 199,695
Washington-blvd., n w cor N. Parkside-av., s f, 106x134, rev stamp $1, incumb $19,000, Dec. 22 [A. A. Basse to Lewis P. Burgh et al.] 1
Morgan-st., n e cor W. Van Buren, w f, 95x60, rev stamp $10, Dec. 21 [G. A. Stockton to A. S. Schulman et al.] 1
Morgan-st., n e cor W. Van Buren, w f, 95x60, rev stamp $10, incumb $20,000, Nov. 23 [Charles B. Van Kirk to George A. Stockton] 20,000
15th-st., W., 175 w of Morgan, n f, 1,176x120, 40 lots, Dec. 18 [C. T. & T. Co., tr, to Peabody Coal Co.] 10
Adams-st., W., 141 w of Cicero-av., s f, 25x122, rev stamp $3, incumb $3,800, Dec. 21 [Louise McKinley to Charles G. Guenther] 10
Chicago-av., W., 75 w of Menard, s f, 25x119, rev stamp $4.50, Dec. 1 [Louis Wetteland to John W. Borg] 4,500
Colorado-av., 216 e of Kostner, s f, 25x120, rev stamp $1, Dec. 21 [J. E. Murphy to B. H. Bunger] 10
Cornelia-st., 175 e of Campbell-av., s f, 25x124, incumb $3,500, rev stamp $1.50, Dec. 22 [M. J. Feldman to Bernard Finder] 10
Crawford-av., n w cor W. 21st-st., e f, 66x123, incumb $6,000, rev stamp $6.50, Dec. 21 [David Green to August Paters] 10
Crystal-st., 201 e of La Vergne-av., n f, 30x124, Nov. 26 [R. O. Cepek to Jane F. Roper] 1
Division-st., W., 37 e of Lamon-av., s f, 25x124, rev stamp $1, Sept. 13 [R. O. Cepek to Ernest F. Frewin] 625
Fairfield-av., 100 s of Le Moyne-st., e f, 25x125, incumb $2,500, pur mon t d $1,000, rev stamp $1.50, Dec. 20 [Henry Pumpian to Louis Kraines] 10
49th-ct., N., 26 n of West End-av., w f, 25x125, rev stamp $3, Dec. 21 [John T. Schweyer to A. G. Galbreth] 3,000
Franklin-av., 49 s w cor of Division-st., e f, 48x124, incumb $1,800, rev stamp $2, Nov. 27 [H. C. Hermann to John Brown] 10
Grenshaw-av., 127 n w of Monticello, s w f, 25 to alley, rev stamp $1, Dec. 4 [John Krkosa to Michael Merton] 10
Hoyne-av., S., 80 n of Walnut-st., e f, 20x66, April 17 [William Sayles quitclaims to Richard T. Martin] 1
Hoyne-av., 60 n of Walnut-st., e f, 20x66, April 17 [R. T. Martin quitclaims to William Sayles] 1
Iowa-st., 309 e of Pine-av., w f, 30x125, rev stamp $3.00, incumb $2,000, Dec. 20 [Emma Miller to Johannes J. A. Berx] 3
Komensky-av., 48 s of W. 14th-st., e f, 25x125, rev stamp $1.00, Dec. 18 [Marie Andel to Vaclav Andel] 5
Keeler-av., 216 n of Hirsch-st., e f, 24x125, rev stamp $1.00, incumb $1,600, Nov. 10-15 [Ruth Hough to Lillian S. Bloom] ....
Keenon-st., 171 w of N. Paulina, s f, 48x100, rev stamp $5.00, incumb $1,000, Oct. 30 [Anton Brodzinski to Frank Brodzinski et al.] 10
Le Moyne-st., 47 e of St. Louis-av., s f, 24x123, rev stamp $1.50, incumb $1,600, Dec. 21 [Zophia Kukilewicz to Zigmunt Mendala] 1
Lexington-st., bet La Vergne and Cicero-avs., s f, 28 18x124, rev stamp $2.00, incumb $2,500, Dec. 21 [Edward Ellsworth to Harry Lynch] 4,500
Lee-pl., ne cor of Hoyne-av., s f, 47x100, rev stamp $1.00, incumb $2,700, Dec. 21 [Floryan Kaplinski to Kiktor Lechowicz] 10
La Vergne-av., n w cor of Iowa-st., e f, 65x125.7, rev stamp $2.50, Dec. 21 [H. T. Glover to Harry F. Brown] 10
La Vergne-av., 141 s of W. North, e f, 30x126, incumb $1,600, Dec. 14 [H. K. Hancock to Frank J. Baker] 1,550
La Vergne-av., 201 s of W. North, e f, 30x126, rev stamp $2.00, incumb $1,600, Dec. 14 [Same to Same] 1,639
La Vergne-av., 198 n of Le Moyne-st., e f, 30x126, rev stamp $2.00, incumb $1,800, Dec. 14 [Same to Same] 1,580
Latrobe-av., 199 s of Augusta-st., w f, 25x126, rev stamp $2, Dec. 15 [James P. Murphy to Charles F. Holman] 10
La Crosse-av., 100 ft n of Park, w f, 40x125, rev stamp $4, incumb $3,000, Dec. 15 [W. D. Braden to Annie E. Austin] 10
Laramie-av., 282 n of Ferdinand-st., w f, 25x125, rev stamp $1, Dec. 20 [Maggie Schultz to Roy A. Olsen] 10
La Porte-av., n e cor West End, w f, 30x125, rev stamp $2, Nov. 11 [H. Galbrinth to Ellen Schweyer] 10
Laramie-av., 190 s of Washington-blvd., w f, 50x181, rev stamp $3, Dec. 2 [H. C. Snow to G. F. Cuddy] 10
Massasoit-av., n e cor. W. Division-st., w f, 230x124, rev. stamp $3, incumb. $3,000, Dec. 8 [William Schick to Martin Kremer] 10
North-av., 121 e of Elk Grove, n f, 24x125, rev stamp $1, incumb $1,500, Dec. 18 [Antonia Mashok to Alex Kochanski] 10
Ogden-av., 109 w of Crawford, n f, 54 8-10x125, Dec. 20 [Charles Murek to Lawndale Wholesale Grocery Co.] 10
Ohio-st., 275 e of Wood, s f, 50x124, rev. stamp $2, Dec. 16 [Samuel Palansky to Onufry Weida] 10
Ohio-st., W., 48 e of Hoyne-av., n f, 24x100, Dec. 20 [Della Ford quitclaims to Francis J. Ford] 1
Park-av., 227 e of Kilpatrick, s f, 125x166, rev stamp $3, Nov. 30 [Laura E. Heron to Caesar H. Hefner] 10
Palmer Square, s w cor Nebraska-av., n f, 75x150, rev. stamp $7, Dec. 21 [Central Trust Co. of Illinois, trustee in bankruptcy Union Shoe and Slipper Mfg. Co. et al., to Therese Eisinger] 6,600
Polk-st., W., 75 e of S. Homan-av., s f, 240x124, rev stamp $12, Dec. 11 [E. C. Walter to Louis Susman et al.] 10
Parkside-av., N., 123 s of Iowa-st., e f, 40x124, Dec. 20 [W. R. Foust to Anne Anderson] 1
Parkside-av., N., 123 s of Iowa-st., e f, 40x124, Dec. 18 [Per G. Andersen to Walter R. Faust] 10
Stave-st., 160 s e of Attrill, s w f, 28x111, rev stamp $1.50, incumb $750, Dec. 7 [Sophia P. Chase to Lena Schuttel] 2,000
Spaulding-av., n w cor W. Huron-st., s f, 51x125, rev stamp $2, Nov. 13 [George Piamonden to Isabella Andersen] 1,700
Sloan-st., 250 e of Noble, n f, 25x125, rev stamp $2, incumb $2,000, Dec. 18 [Jan Kuklinski to Janislawa Raciborski] 10
Taylor-st., W., 150 w of Crawford-av., s f, 25x125, rev stamp $1, Dec. 16 [Henrietta Hanker to National Brick Co.] 650
Troy-st., S., 45 s of 26th, e f, 24x125, rev stamp $1, Dec. 16 [John Lishka to Joseph Lishka] 1
Turner-av., 24 n of W. 26th-st., e f, 25x125, rev stamp $3.50, Dec. 3 [Josef Lampert to Joseph Kasper] 3,300
Troy-st., S., 225 n of W. 26th, e f, 24x125, rev stamp $2.50, incumb $3,000, Dec. 1 [Frank Mirka to Vaclav Pvrenca] 4,600
Van Buren-st., W., 255 e of Central-av., n f, 30x124, rev stamp $2.50, Dec. 11 [George W. Johnson to Frank Bauer] 1
Washtenaw-av., 20 n of W. 12th-st., w f, 40x100, rev stamp $1.50, Nov. 4 [Joseph Heyl to Julia E. Hassinel] 1,500
Walton-av., 106 w of Cicero, n f, 25x125, rev stamp 50c, Dec. 18 [John Old to Alfred Ekstrom] 10
Waller-av., 190 s of Randolph-st., w f, 40x75, and o p, rev stamp $1.50, Dec. 20 [J. H. Robinson to Luther S. Dickey Jr.] 1
Washington-blvd., 208 w of La Vergne-av., rev stamp $4.50, incumb $4,000, Dec. 20 [Kath Gorr to Emma C. K. Burke] 10

BLOOM.

Columbia Heights, Keeney 2d add, lots 12 and 13, rev. stamp $1 [Mary Turner to Jan Jaffe] 1

CICERO.

Austin Park, lot 31, blk 13, rev stamp $1, Dec. 19 [C. H. Ewing to James C. Graham] 525
Cudahy's Morton Park add, lot 19, blk 10, rev stamp $1.50, Nov. 4 [Anna Slonski to Andrey Panczak] 1,300
Oak Park Reynolds' Columbia add, lot 11 and w ½ lot 12, blk 11, rev stamp $2, incumb $2,900, Dec. 14 [A. K. Hancock to Frank J. Baker] 1,900
Oak Park Chicago Herald add, lot 4, blk 4, rev stamp $1, Dec. 18 [F. W. Lane to James A. and Marie A. Kelly] 1
Ridgeland, village of, lot 18, blk 41, Feb. 12 [F. H. Hall to George W. Brown, quitclaimed] 1
Same, lot 12, blk 41, Feb. 12 [H. W. Kern quitclaims to Geo. W. Brown] 1
Same, lot 11, blk 41, Feb. 12 [W. W. De Wess quitclaims to Geo. W. Brown] 1
Same, lot 10 to 13, blk 41, Feb. 17 [Geo. W. Brown to Cicero and Proviso Ice Co.] 10
Twp 39, lot 47 and 48, lot 2 of blk 2, etc., w ½ lot 3, 18-39-13, rev stamp $2.50, Dec. 1 [Jennie M. Bolger to Henry A. Hollnagel] 2,500
Schumacher, G. & Co. Warren Park add, lot 18, rev stamp $1, Dec. 21 [H. H. Geissler to Herman Kaske] 600

LEYDEN.

Ellsworth, lot 11, blk 10, rev stamp 50c, July 12 [C. T. & T. Co. tr. to Peter Hommersand] 155

LYONS.

Riverside Acres, lot 11 and 69, rev stamp $1, Nov. 22 [Morris Ginsburg to Louis Kaplan] 1

Building Permits.

Kenmore-av., 5001-05, 2 story brick stores and office, T. V. Pike, 50 E. State-st.; Mottis & Dunford, arch.; T. Olson, mason; Chalmer, carp. $22,000
Waveland-av., 5021, 1 story brick residence, G. Thompson, 5106 Medill-av.; T. J. Reynertson, arch.; owner is mason and carp. 5,000
Nottingham-av., S., 5618, 1 story frame residence, J. Reznik, 1624 Vine-st.; B. J. Bruns, arch.; owner is mason and carp. 1,000
Central-av., N., 4028-32, two 2 story brick flats, H. Kash, 933 N. Western-av.; E. J. Pateiski, arch.; M. Galler, mason; owner is carp. 15,000
Southport-av., 2061-81, 4 story brick factory, Jastute Manufacturing Co., 330 S. Clinton-st.; R. E. Pingrey, arch.; Paschin Bros., mason and carp. 40,000

PTACEK TO FIGHT ORDER DRIVING HIM FROM POLICE.

Captain Says, However, It's No Place for Decent Man if Mayor Is Right.

Police Capt. John E. Ptacek was told by a newspaper man yesterday that his discharge from the department had been ordered by the civil service commission in connection with its investigation of the fund collected for the defense of Capt. John J. Halpin and others.

"As long as Mayor Thompson thinks the police department 'stinks,'" he said, according to the interview published, "I believe it's time for all decent men to leave the force. I shall fight the commission in the courts."

Later it was discovered the merit commission had not entered its order in the Ptacek case and will not do so until Monday.

LESSEN FOOT DISEASE BAN.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—Further modifications in the extent and character of the federal quarantine in Illinois for foot and mouth disease are made by an order effective today. This order reduces the closed area in the state to the township of Libertyville, in Lake county, the territory within a radius of three miles of a certain section in McDonough county, and territory within three miles of two infected premises in Stark county. The township of Shields, in Lake county, is in the restricted area. All the rest of the state is free. The Union stock yards of Chicago, formerly designated as restricted area, are made free for the handling of stock for immediate slaughter only.

CHANGE CATTLE QUARANTINE

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 24.—State Veterinarian O. E. Dyson today announced amendments to foot and mouth disease quarantine orders which releases all territory formerly closed in McDonough county excepting within three miles of section 5, Mound township. Bureau, La Salle, and Cook counties, excepting the Union stockyards, are released from quarantine and made free. The territory within three miles of sections 6 and 21, Harris township, Lee county, which has been closed, becomes exposed. There is no change in Lake and Stark counties.

ARRESTED UNDER DOPE LAW

Walter Leonard, a government witness against Dr. Arthur Blunt, recently convicted on charges of violating the Harrison anti-narcotic act, was arrested yesterday. Leonard, with Harry Wright and Charles A. Young, is accused of having his possession narcotic drugs stolen from the drug store of Frank A. Betz, 38 East Randolph street, three weeks ago. John H. Montgomery, a druggist, 2604 South State street, also was arrested on charges of selling drugs without proper prescriptions. The cases were set for Dec. 31.

NUPTIAL SOLICITOR "FIRED."

Ben Schall, the "marrying justice," with a horny hand gripping the slack of his trousers and another the scruff of his neck, gathered momentum as he left the county building yesterday, alighting finally on the sidewalk. He had been "at it again," performing marriages and soliciting business at the marriage license window. Deputy Sheriff Torrison caught Schall just as he completed a marriage and "bounced" him.

U. S. COURT SEIZES ASSETS.

Assets in the store of Isadore Kaufman at 6807-9 South Halsted street were ordered turned over to the Central Trust company of Illinois yesterday by Judge Landis. Kaufman was discharged in bankruptcy more than a year ago. Judge Landis heard concealed assets of the old store were now part of the stock at 6807-9 South Halsted street.

COLLEGE PAPER HEAD DIES.

Notre Dame, Ind., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—Brother Severin, C. P. C. (Herman Riesch), business manager of Ave Maria, the magazine published at Notre Dame, dropped dead here yesterday. Brother Severin, who was 57 years old, suffered a stroke of apoplexy and fell on the steps of the community house, expiring before help reached him.

Bankruptcy Petitions.

In re petition of Liedeman, Gross & Hinden et al. to have Irene Williams and Max Goldstein, doing business as Arends & Goldstein, adjudged bankrupts. Claims, $528.

Max Zobel, saloonkeeper, 858 North Robey street; liabilities, $2,181; assets none.

Burton O. Smith, investment broker; liabilities, $106,268; assets, $51,901.

In re petition of H. Schuman & Brother et al. to have Stein Cloak company adjudged bankrupt. Claims $520.

Frank Nykowski, craneman; liabilities, $730; assets, $45.

Contractor Goes Into Bankruptcy.

Jens Lundsberg, a contractor living at 1751 North Sawyer avenue, filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy in the United States District court yesterday. He listed his assets at $2,500 and his liabilities at $10,596. Property valued at $724 was claimed excepted.

EASTLAND DISASTER ECHO; CONGRESS IS ASKED TO AID.

Redfield Says Lakes Service Cannot Be Improved Unless Adequate Provision Is Made for It.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—Secretary of Commerce Redfield has sent a letter to Speaker Clark in which he calls the speaker's attention to the findings of the special board of inquiry which investigated the Eastland accident as well as to the findings of the committee of supervising inspectors appointed to investigate the great lakes inspection service.

Secretary Redfield states that these two reports make it quite clear that the steamboat inspection service at the present time is greatly underpaid and overworked.

He gives it as his opinion that more efficiency cannot be demanded from the service until congress makes more adequate provision for it, both in the nature of appropriations for higher salaries and additional employés.

BOOKED ON MURDER CHARGE

Mrs. Mary Guizzo Is Formally Charged with Killing Paula Catanio—Husband, Boarder Held.

Mrs. Mary Guizzo, 535 West Oak street, was booked on a charge of murder yesterday in connection with the death of Paula Catanio, who was shot and killed in his home, 2219 West Chicago avenue, last Tuesday. Samuel Simonds, a boarder at her home, and Joseph Guizzo, her husband, were charged with being accessories. Capt. Stephen K. Healy said he believes Mrs. Guizzo killed Catanio because of a love affair. He said Catanio had been attentive to her for nearly a year.

Broker Is "Busted."

A Christmas eve petition in bankruptcy was filed in the United States District court late yesterday by Burton O. Smith, an investment broker. Smith scheduled liabilities of $106,250 and assets of $51,900.

OFFICIAL WEATHER FORECAST.

Chicago, Dec. 24.—Following is the forecast issued by the Chicago forecast district:

Illinois—Snow and colder Saturday morning, followed by clearing; Sunday fair with rising temperature.

Missouri—Generally fair Saturday and Sunday; somewhat colder in east portion Saturday; warmer Sunday.

Wisconsin—Generally fair Saturday, preceded by unsettled in extreme east portion, somewhat colder; Sunday probably fair with rising temperature.

Minnesota—Fair Saturday; Sunday probably unsettled; no decided change in temperature.

Iowa—Fair and slightly colder Saturday; Sunday probably fair with rising temperature.

North Dakota and South Dakota—Fair Saturday and probably Sunday; colder Sunday.

Nebraska—Fair Saturday and probably Sunday; rising temperature in west portion Saturday.

Kansas—Fair Saturday and Sunday; rising temperature Sunday.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 24.—Forecast: Indiana—Snow, followed by clearing and colder Saturday, Sunday fair.

Ohio—Snow in north and rain probably turning to snow in south portion Saturday, colder by night, Sunday fair.

Lower Michigan—Snow Saturday, Sunday partly cloudy.

Upper Michigan—Partly cloudy Saturday and Sunday.

Place of observation. Dec. 24, 1915. 7:00 p. m., Central time.	Temp. 7 p. m.	Highest today.	Lowest last night.	State of weather.	Direction of wind.	Velocity of wind.	Precipitation 24 hours.
Eastern states—							
Albany	38	42	36	Cloudy	S.	..	.02
Atlanta	56	64	50	Cloudy	S.E.	14	..
Boston	42	46	36	Clear	W.	10	.02
Buffalo	34	36	32	Cloudy	S.W.	..	.08
Charleston	54	64	46	Clear	S.	..	..
New York	42	46	34	Cloudy	N.W.	..	..
Parkersburg	40	46	34	Cloudy	E.	..	..
Philadelphia	44	50	36	Cloudy	S.W.	..	..
Pittsburgh	40	42	34	Cloudy	E.	..	..
Raleigh	52	62	42	Fair	S.	..	..
Washington	44	50	32	Clear	E.	..	..
Gulf states—							
Abilene	42	50	48	Clear	N.W.	12	..
Amarillo	32	38	32	Clear	S.	..	..
El Paso	46	54	42	Clear	E.	10	..
Galveston	58	70	62	Cloudy	N.W.	34	.10
Jacksonville	60	68	48	Clear	S.E.	12	..
Miami	70	72	56	Clear	S.	12	..
Mobile	62	66	50	Cloudy	S.	16	.02
Montgomery	62	66	42	Clear	S.	12	..
New Orleans	68	74	60	Cloudy	S.	..	..
San Antonio	50	66	56	Fair	N.W.	20	..
Shreveport	44	70	56	Rain	N.W.	16	.02
Tampa	62	72	42	Clear	S.E.	..	..
Vicksburg	62	70	56	Rain	S.W.	10	.04
East-Central states—							
Alpena	28	30	26	Cloudy	N.W.	..	..
Cairo	40	56	42	Rain	N.W.	24	.14
Chicago	32	36	32	Snow	N.E.	16	.10
Cincinnati	36	36	30	Rain	N.E.	10	.08
Cleveland	32	36	34	Snow	N.W.	..	..
Detroit	32	36	34	Snow	S.E.	..	.01
Escanaba	30	32	30	Cloudy	N.	..	..
Evansville	44	44	36	Rain	N.	..	.36
Fort Wayne	30	34	30	Snow	N.E.	10	.14
Grand Haven	32	36	32	Snow	S.	..	..
Grand Rapids	32	36	32	Snow	S.E.	..	.01
Green Bay	26	30	22	Cloudy	W.	..	..
Indianapolis	32	34	30	Rain	N.E.	18	.68
Madison	24	24	22	Cloudy	W.	10	..
Marquette	26	26	22	Clear	W.	..	.02
Memphis	56	64	50	Rain	S.W.	20	.74
Milwaukee	29	30	24	Cloudy	N.	..	..
Nashville	58	62	40	Rain	S.E.	24	..
Peoria	26	28	28	Snow	N.	10	.36
Ste. Marie	18	26	16	Clear	E.	..	..
Springf'd, Ill.	28	30	30	Snow	N.	12	.66
West central states—							
Bismarck	24	32	20	Clear	W.	..	..
Charles City	24	24	20	Cloudy	N.	..	..
Concordia	28	34	32	Clear	N.W.	..	.30
Davenport	26	28	26	Cloudy	N.	10	..
Des Moines	30	32	30	Cloudy	N.	..	..
Devils Lake	14	18	6	Clear	S.W.	..	..
Dodge	28	36	20	Clear	N.W.	10	.10
Dubuque	24	24	24	Cloudy	N.	..	..
Duluth	20	20	18	Cloudy	W.	..	..
Huron	26	32	16	Clear	N.W.	..	..
Kansas City	30	32	32	Cloudy	N.W.	18	.48
Keokuk	26	30	30	Snow	N.E.	10	.20
Little Rock	42	64	48	Cloudy	W.	30	..
Moorhead	10	18	10	Fair	N.W.	..	..
North Platte	20	32	22	Clear	W.	..	.22
Oklahoma	36	38	32	Clear	N.W.	14	.04
Omaha	30	30	32	Fair	N.W.	10	.04
Rapid City	30	36	28	Clear	N.W.	12	..
Sioux City	28	32	30	Clear	N.W.	18	..
St. Louis	30	36	34	Snow	N.W.	18	1.08
St. Paul	22	28	18	Clear	N.W.	..	..
Springf'd, Mo.	28	36	36	Snow	N.	18	.70
Wichita	30	34	32	Clear	N.W.	20	.20
Williston	22	28	16	Clear	S.W.	..	..
Mountain states—							
Boise	24	24	24	Cloudy	W.	..	..
Cheyenne	14	24	8	Clear	W.	..	..
Denver	24	32	22	Clear	S.W.	10	.04
Havre	24	32	22	Cloudy	S.W.	16	..
Helena	20	24	22	Clear	S.W.	18	..
Lander	12	28	6	Cloudy	W.	..	.08
Miles City	18	28	22	Clear	S.E.	..	..
Phoenix	52	70	40	Clear	N.	..	..
Pueblo	30	36	28	Clear	S.E.	..	.01
Salt Lake City	36	36	24	Fair	E.	..	..
Sheridan	24	32	14	Clear	N.E.	10	..
Yellowst'e Pk.	16	18	4	Cloudy	S.E.	10	.01
Pacific states—							
Fresno	50	52	42	Clear	S.W.	..	..
Los Angeles	74	82	58	Clear	S.W.	..	..
Portland, Ore.	42	42	34	Rain	S.	..	..
Sacramento	50	58	42	Clear	S.E.	..	..
San Francisco	62	66	44	Fair	N.W.	..	..
San Diego	66	76	52	Clear	N.W.	..	..
Spokane	38	38	26	Cloudy	S.E.	..	..
Walla Walla	42	42	32	Cloudy	S.	..	..
Canadian—							
Battleford	16	22	16	Cloudy	S.E.	10	..
Calgary	20	24	16	Clear	N.W.	..	..
Edmonton	20	26	16	Cloudy	..	..	..
Medicine Hat	34	34	16	Fair	S.W.	..	..
Minnedosa	14	20	6	Clear	..	..	..
Montreal	34	34	34	Cloudy	W.	22	[illegible]
Quebec	30	32	30	Cloudy	S.E.	..	.40
Qu'Appelle	14	28	14	Fair	S.W.	10	..
Toronto	32	34	34	Cloudy	W.	..	..
White River	14	26	14	Clear	..	..	..
Winnipeg	16	20	10	Snow	S.W.	12	..

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RAILROAD FARE for one person from his home to Chicago and return, including Pullman berth, will be deducted from the regular price of the Neal Treatment upon presentation of this advertisement at head NEAL INSTITUTE, No. 811-T East 49th St., Chicago, on or before Dec. 31st, 1915.

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DUPAGE COUNTY CLERK QUITS AFTER LONG WRANGLE

George Thoma, Censured Once for Employing Widow, Resigns to Give Time to Law.

Aurora, Ill., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—George Thoma, clerk of the Circuit court of Dupage county, who was censured by the board of supervisors for employing Mrs. Ann Papenguth, a fascinating widow of 35 years, as his typist, resigned today. Thoma said his law offices in Chicago will take up all his time. Before he resigned he replied to the criticism of the board by saying that he had at least kept the acts of his office straight.

This statement and a resolution by the board forbidding the employment of women in the courthouse at Wheaton without consent of the board brought on a state of political warfare in Dupage county.

Thoma hired a set of auditors to go over his and the supervisors' books, and the supervisors hired another set of auditors to do a like work. Thoma's auditors have completed their reports, finding his accounts meritorious, while criticising "the loose practice of the county board." The county board auditors are to report after New Year's.

COMES TO BOOST TRADE.

Planning to interest Chicago merchants and manufacturers in the possibilities of European trade, J. Bendien, vice president of the American export chamber of commerce in Amsterdam, Holland, arrived in Chicago yesterday and established headquarters in the offices of Dr. W. C. Huntington, chief of the local bureau of commerce, in the federal building. American manufactures and food products are in great demand in neutral countries today, said Mr. Bendien; and as soon as the war ends the demand will be overwhelming. Mr. Bendien will be in Chicago until Jan. 1.

HUSBANDS MAY COME AND GO, SHE'S HAPPY ANYWAY.

Mrs. Eleanor E. Jones Quits Man She Wed on Christmas Year Ago—Will Marry Her Third Venture.

Two years ago Mrs. Eleanor E. Jones celebrated Christmas because she had just secured a divorce from Elmo Jones. Last Christmas she celebrated because she was married to Frank Burris. Yesterday she celebrated because she had just secured a divorce from Frank Burris. Today she will marry George Prybylski of Des Moines, Ia. What about next Christmas?

Cable Personality $235,000.

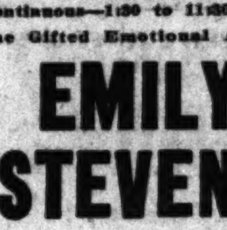
An inventory of the property left by Benjamin Stickney Cable, late president of the United Charities, filed in the Probate court yesterday, shows personality valued at over $235,000, a piece of real estate at West Lake and North Clinton streets, and two parcels of real estate in Oklahoma. The value of the real estate is not mentioned.

A MERRY CHRISTMAS To MOTION PICTURE FANS

and a Happy New Year from the exhibitors of Chicago's most popular theaters whose programs for today are listed below

NORTH SIDE

ADVANCE
ROBEY, LINCOLN AVE. and IRVING PARK BLVD.
Continuous—1:30 to 11:00 P. M.



VIOLA DANA
IN "Children of Eve"
A 5 Part GEO. KLEINE Feature

WILSON AVENUE — Wilson, at Broadway. First Run Pictures and "REAL" Vaudeville.

STRAND | 3029 LINCOLN AVE. ALL SEATS 5c.

WEST SIDE

Crawford
Crawford Ave. nr. Madison St.
Continuous—1:30 to 11:30 P. M.
The Gifted Emotional Actress
EMILY STEVENS
—IN—
THE BIG 5 ACT HUMAN INTEREST DRAMA,
THE HOUSE OF TEARS

GOLD
3411 West Twelfth Street
Cont. Performance, 1:30 to 11 P. M.
Today—TRIANGLE PROGRAM
DOROTHY GISH and OWEN MOORE in
"Jordan Is a Hard Road"
Fatty and the Broadway Stars
Featuring WM. COLLIER, SAM BERNARD, WEBER AND FIELDS, ROSCOE ARBUCKLE, FORD STERLING, POLLY MORAN, and MAY BUSH
PLEASE NOTE
The management of the Gold Theater wishes you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

HAMLIN
3826 to 3836 W. Madison
Continuous
2:30 to 11:00 P. M.
DOROTHY GISH
In "JORDAN IS A HARD ROAD," 5 Parts.
"Fatty & the Broadway Stars," 2 Part Comedy.
Animated Weekly and Pathe News.
Adults, 10c Children, 5c
"In a Class by Itself"

KEDZIE ANNEX
Corner Kedzie and Madison St.
Continuous Performance, 2:30 to 11 p. m.
The Management Wishes You a Merry Xmas & a Happy New Year
Geo. Beban
in
"AN ALIEN"
COMPLETE IN 6 GREAT PARTS.
ADULTS, 15c; CHILDREN, 5c.

AUSTIN

PLAISANCE 466 NORTH PARKSIDE AVE
Triangle Plays. Willard Mack in "Aloha Oe." 5 Acts. Fatty Arbuckle in 2 Act Keystone.

IRIS 5747 Chicago Av. Cont. Shows Matinee and Evening. Pictures and Vaudeville.

MISCELLANEOUS

ASCHER BROS.
Conducting the Largest Chain of Superior and Modern Photo Play Palaces in the West, Extend the Greetings of the Year and Solicit Your Continued Interest in the Future. We Offer for Your Enjoyment Today at
THE FOLLOWING THEATERS:

ASCHER'S Columbus — 63RD & ASHLAND
Continuous 2:30 to 11 P. M.
A GREAT XMAS PROGRAM
TRIANGLE PROGRAM
DOROTHY GISH & OWEN MOORE in "JORDAN IS A HARD ROAD." "FATTY AND THE BROADWAY STARS."
Weber & Fields, Roscoe Arbuckle and Others.

ASCHER'S Lakeside — 4730 SHERIDAN RD.
CONT.—2:30 TO 11 P. M.
MLLE. DIANE and CHAS. TROWBRIDGE in
"The Siren's Song"
And Other Picture Varieties.

ASCHER'S Calo — CLARK ST. AND BALMORAL
CONT.—2:30 to 11 P. M.
SPECIAL XMAS PROGRAM
VARIETY DAY
STELLA HOBAN in
"The Luring Lights"
5 ACTS—OTHER FEATURES.

ASCHER'S Terminal — KEDZIE & LAWRENCE AVES.
Cont.—2:30 to 11 P. M.
MLLE DIANE and CHAS. TROWBRIDGE IN
"The Siren's Song"
OTHER FEATURE PICTURES.

SOUTHWEST

OLYMPIA
47TH AND ASHLAND
Chicago's Newest Picture House
Open at 12 o'Clock Xmas Day.

MABEL TRUNNELLE
and MARC MacDERMOTT in
"The Destroying Angel"
A Geo. Kleine Feature, in Five Parts.
ALSO CLEVER ENTERTAINERS

THE LINDEN 63rd and HALSTED. Cont. 2:30 to 11 P. M.
"THE LIFE OF OUR SAVIOR"
7 Parts—Hand Colored.

NORTHWEST

Continuous 2:30 to 11 P. M. — Alfred Hamburger's
ALBANY PARK
Kedzie and Lawrence Aves.
VALESKA SURATT in
The Soul of Broadway

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THE FOLLOWING THEATERS:

ASCHER'S President — 58TH & CALUMET
CONT.—2:30 to 11 P. M.
EMILY STEVENS
The Supreme Emotional Actress in
"The House of Tears"
5 Acts
OTHER ADDED FEATURES.

ASCHER'S Cosmopolitan — 79TH & HALSTED ST.
CONTINUOUS 1:30 to 11 P. M.
Special Quality Holiday Show Offering, Particularly
MARY MILES MINTER
The Youngest Star in the World. Supported by the Stage's Oldest Actress
MRS. THOMAS W. WHIFFEN in
"BARBARA FRIETCHIE"
Five Acts.
Adapted from Whittier's immortal poem and Clyde Fitch's great stage success. Undoubtedly one of the best features ever filmed. Also see a 2 Reel Vita Comedy and Others. Also
SUPERIOR VAUDEVILLE.

ASCHER'S Frolic — 55TH & ELLIS
Continuous 2:30 to 11 P. M.
SPECIAL XMAS PROGRAM
METRO OFFERS
EMILY STEVENS in
"THE HOUSE OF TEARS"
OTHER QUALITY PICTURES.

ASCHER'S Oakland Square — OAKWOOD & DREXEL
Chicago's Most Beautiful Photo Play Theatre. 1700 Upholstered Seats on the Main Floor.
Exclusive First Run Features
Watch for Opening Announcements

NORTHWEST

LOGAN SQUARE
MILWAUKEE AVE. AND LOGAN BLVD.
TODAY
FIRST RUN PICTURES
and
Hodges & Tynes
—IN—
"A Night on a New York Roof Garden"
A Clever Musical Comedy.
Sunday—Real Vaudeville
Prices for Xmas and Sunday
Matinees—Adults, 15c and 20c; Children, 5c.
Evenings—10c, 20c, 30c.
"A MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL."

PARAMOUNT
2636-54 Milwaukee Av., nr. Sawyer.
CONTINUOUS—2:00 TO 11:00 P. M.
BOTH DAYS—Adults, 10c; Children, 5c.
TODAY—PARAMOUNT PHOTO PLAY
VICTOR MOORE
—IN—
"CHIMMIE FADDEN OUT WEST"
FIVE ACTS.
Tomorrow—Triangle Plays—BESSIE BARRISCALE in "The Golden Claw." 5 acts. WEBER & FIELDS in "The Best of Enemies," 2 act Keystone.

KIMBALL | FULLERTON
GEORGE KLEINE Presents
MABEL TRUNNELLE and MARC MacDERMOTT in
"The Destroying Angel," 5 P...

DOWNTOWN

Jones, Linick & Sc...
ORPHE...
STATE, NEAR M...
Opp. Palmer H...
TODA...
MARGUER...
SNO...
in the Beautiful
ROSEMA...
("Tis for Rememb...
COMIN...
SUN. & M...
WILLIA...
FARNU...
In the Courageou... of Love and Truth... Exciting Motion Pic...
"A SOLDIE... OATH"
CONTINU... 8 a. m. to 11...
Special New Year's ... at 11 P. M. No Raise ...

STUDEBA...
—Management ... JONES, LINICK & SC...
TODAY A... TOMORR...
"The Becko... Flame"
With HENRY WOO...
"The Subm... Pirate"
With SYD CHA...
"The Miss... Links"
With NORMA TAL...
COMIN... MONDA...
DE WO... HOPP...
In the Triangle Ma... Based on Cervantes' ... ful Story.
"DON QUIXOT..."
AND A BIG NEW K... COMEDY
CONTINUOU...
11 A. M. TO 11 P. M. | DAYS, ... ALL SEATS...
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Jones, Linick & Schaefer's

ORPHEUM

STATE, NEAR MONROE
Opp. Palmer House,

TODAY

MARGUERITE

SNOW

in the Beautiful Idyl

ROSEMARY

('Tis for Remembrance)

COMING SUN. & MON.

WILLIAM FARNUM

in the Courageous Drama of Love and Truth Told in Exciting Motion Pictures.

"A SOLDIER'S OATH"

CONTINUOUS 8 a. m. to 11 p. m.

Special New Year's Eve Show at 11 P. M. No Raise in Prices.

DOWNTOWN

FINE ARTS

MICHIGAN AVE.
NEAR VAN BUREN

Commencing Tomorrow

Julian Eltinge
And 12 Stars
Henry Kolker
Lulu Glaser
Chas. J. Ross
May Robson
Mabel Fenton
Marguerite Gale
Robert Edeson
Julia Dean
Henrietta Crosman
Leo Ditrichstein
Cyril Scott
Mme. Fjorde
IN BURNS MANTLE'S

"How Molly Made Good"

Stupendous 12-Star Production

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Mae Tinee in CHICAGO TRIBUNE: "A HIT!"

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Sundays, 6 p. m. to 11 p. m.

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Jones, Linick & Schaefer's

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—COMING MONDAY—

A Screaming
—KEYSTONE—
—TRIANGLE
—COMEDY

EDDIE FOY

AND THE SEVEN FUNNY LITTLE FOYS in

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IN CONJUNCTION WITH

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The Vaudeville Bargain Counter of the Loop! Your Money's Worth Always!

11 A. M. TO 11 P. M.

DAYS: 10c, 15c and 25c.
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Special New York's Eve Show at 11 P. M. No Raise in Prices.

DOWNTOWN

Alfred Hamburger's — DOUBLE PROGRAM

ZIEGFELD

TWO GREAT PLAYS

PARAMOUNT

VALESKA SURATT
IN
"THE IMMIGRANT"

EQUITABLE

CHARLES J. ROSS
IN
"THE SENATOR"

RESERVE YOUR SEATS NOW—FOR NEW YEAR'S EVE.
8:15 P. M. 10:30 P. M.

CARNIVAL OF PHOTO PLAYS
MUSIC AND FESTIVITIES

SOUTH SIDE

BEACH

Hyde Park Blvd. & Harper Ave.
At 51st St. Sta. of the Ill. Cent.
Cont. Performance 2:30 to 11 P. M.

—TODAY—
TRIANGLE PROGRAM

KATHRYN KAELRED
—IN—
"THE WINGED IDOL"
An Interesting Society Drama in 5 Acts.

Also Fred Mace in "CROOKED TO THE END"
A Triangle Keystone Comedy.
—ALSO—
Sirignani's Famous Italian
Banda Roma Orchestra
(Formerly of Ziegfeld Theater)

Will render selections at every performance beginning Monday, Dec. 27.

DOWNTOWN

KENWOOD

47th Street and Kimbark Avenue.

CONTINUOUS PERFORMANCE
2:30 TO 11:00 P. M.

THE MANAGEMENT of the Kenwood Theater wishes you a Merry Xmas and a Happy New Year, thanking you for past courtesies and solicit your continued interest. (Signed) S. A. McHIE.

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The Charming Screen Star

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IN
A Daughter of the Sea

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CHAS. CHAPLIN and others
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Robt. Edeson
And Bewitching Fay Wallace in
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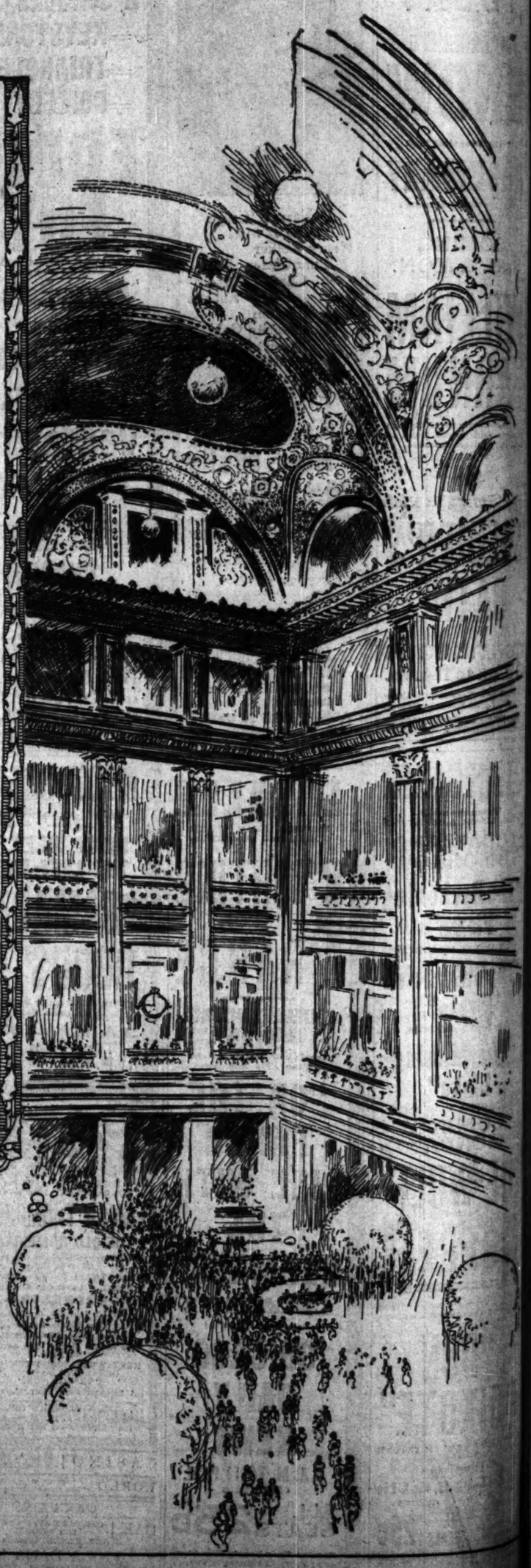
Swing gates to wondrous floors,-
Builded for service, aye, proudly it stands,
Cathedral of all the stores.

And radiant stretch the passes within,
Like fairied aisles they run
'Mid postured columns, uplifted and white
As snood of cloistered nun.
Ever and ever press myriad feet,
Expectant thru the doors,-
Builded for service, securely it stands,
Cathedral of all the stores.

And here ingathered from places anear,
And lands beyond the sea,
Are wonderful wares for uses of men,
Rare works in artistry.
And so shall it stand with a fame unmatched
Here, or on distant shores,
Builded for service,-the marvel of men-
Cathedral of all the stores.



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PRINCESS DIDN'T LACK FOR LOVE, HUSBAND SAYS

Prince Engalitcheff, Sued for Divorce by Chicago Girl, Offers Her Letters.

NAMES LAWYER AS ADMIRER.

New York, Dec. 24.—[Special.]—Supreme Court Justice Bijur reserved decision today in the divorce suit of Princess Evelyn Engalitcheff, daughter of Charles W. Pardridge, the Chicago grain operator, against Prince Nicholas Engalitcheff, former Russian vice consul at Chicago. The court took the case under advisement after Mrs. Jane Hathaway, named as co-respondent, had denied the charges of misconduct with the prince, and letters written to the princess by F. J. Swift, said to be a well known lawyer, had been offered in evidence by the prince.

The prince alleged that his wife attempted to commit suicide at the Hotel Vanderbilt last April after she learned that he had the Swift letters.

Princess' Correspondence Read.

One of these letters was dated at the Manhattan club on Sunday and said:

"My dear: Have been waiting for my 'good morning note.' Well, perhaps it will be here tomorrow. Tell me how you are—your hand, your nerves. The doctor must not take too much care of you. What a shame—this wonderful afternoon and you way down there—and I'm sitting in the club—too disgusted to go out. But surely I shall hear from you tomorrow. F. J. S."

The second letter, also written from the Manhattan club, said:

"They are here—your two letters—and as it has been a good morning. But I do not want to be thinking of your injured hand. I don't want to think of anything about you not perfect. We must all have our individual ways. O, I remember, you have a few yourself. Why, of course, your letters are deceived.

Prince Explains His Annoyance.

"But tell me about Mrs. H. I have had some ideas of what was your experiences. And say—you have not said a word about that no account doctor. I have always found it dangerous when a woman is quiet. Hope he chokes. How did they treat you at bridge? They have been making life a burden to me here. Of course, there are no regrets. F. J. S."

The prince declared that in the envelope with the second letter he found one of his own love notes to the princess, and as he believed his letter had been read by the author of the "F. J. S." notes, he was annoyed and took his wife to task about her correspondence. His wife then attempted suicide, he said.

Kiss in Public? Never!

When asked by his wife's attorney whether he had ever kissed Mrs. Jane Hathaway, the co-respondent, the prince said angrily:

"Do you think we of royal blood kiss in public? Why, sir, I never do my kissing in public. The very idea!"

The prince was then questioned by Almuth C. Van Diver, attorney for the princess, concerning a trip he took to Albany on a Hudson river steamer on April 28 last with Mrs. Hathaway as his companion.

The prince admitted that he took the trip, and said he bought tickets for Mrs. Hathaway also. When asked if he paid for Mrs. Hathaway's stateroom with his wife's money he said:

"Don't you dare make such insinuations as that. Don't judge other persons by yourself."

Drank Wine in His Stateroom.

The prince said Mrs. Hathaway spent a great part of the trip in his stateroom, drinking wine with him. He also admitted that his wife learned of the trip and that it was the occasion of a stormy interview with her which led up to their final separation and the filing of the divorce suit.

"Somebody had poisoned the princess' mind about the matter," the prince said, "she accused me of improper friendship for Mrs. Hathaway. I told her there was nothing to her suspicions, and in the end we forgave each other. She agreed to condone an offense which I hadn't committed, and I forgave her the accusation she made against me. I had more to forgive than she did."

Mrs. Hathaway Denies Misconduct.

Mrs. Hathaway appeared as a witness in her own behalf for the purpose of denying the charge against her. She said the prince called at her apartment, but never came alone. She denied that she ever made love to the prince or kissed him, and declared that she was never guilty of improper conduct with him.

Mrs. Hathaway said she discharged Elizabeth Hannet, who gave the only testimony on which a divorce decree could be signed against the prince, and refused to give her a recommendation. She admitted that she took the Albany trip with the prince and drank wine in his stateroom, but said that nothing improper occurred.

Tells Interview with Princess.

"When I heard the princess intended to name me as co-respondent I went and asked her if it was true," Mrs. Hathaway said. "She replied that she would leave my name out if some one else could be named."

The prince's attorney asked that the suit be dismissed on the ground that there was no corroboration of the testimony of Miss Hannet and that she was biased because she had been discharged. Justice Bijur denied the motion and said he would accept briefs in the case.

Found Dead by His Wife.

Ogden P. Gordon, 3514 Washington boulevard, was found dead in his home last night by his wife. Heart disease is believed to have caused his death.

UNDER THE MISTLETOE.

Daughter of ex-Congressman Vollmer May Be Delivered Back to Chicago Bridegroom—After the Winter Is O'er.

MRS. EDWARD PALM

The olive branch has been entwined with holly and mistletoe in the "detached" Yuletide honeymoon of Edward Victor Palm and Mrs. Dorothea Vollmer Palm, whose marriage in Davenport this week has caused no end of society uproar.

On Thursday young Palm returned to Chicago from Davenport, where he had married the daughter of Henry Vollmer, former mayor, former congressman, and social autocrat, without the latter's knowledge or consent. He came to Chicago prepared to fight for his bride, and he engaged a lawyer to take such steps as seemed necessary in the premises. It was hinted Mrs. Palm had been spirited off to California.

Last night, however, it was announced the Vollmer family has recognized the validity of the marriage and that Mrs. Palm because of her frail state of health will spend the winter in California, after which there will be little doubt of a complete reconciliation.

HOSPITAL HEAD TO ADMIT PERJURY IN MATTERS CASE

Attorney Says Dr. L. C. Emile Beroard Will Come from Ottawa, Canada, to Testify.

THREATS AGAINST HIS LIFE.

Dr. L. C. Emile Beroard, chief obstetrician at the Misericordia hospital at Ottawa, Canada, will come to Chicago to testify in the Matters will case, it was announced late last night by Attorney Robert Burkhalter.

Dr. Beroard, the attorney added, will testify to the fact that he did not deliver Mrs. Anna Dollie Ledgerwood Matters of a child, as he testified in Chicago before, though he did operate on her at that time. The doctor will come, although he has received anonymous communications threatening his life, if he does, the attorney said.

Dr. Beroard's testimony will bear out the admission of perjury made last week before Judge Horner by Miss Marie Des Rosiers, head nurse of the hospital, who once said she was present at the birth of the child.

Other Threats, Too.

Because of his determination to bring the two witnesses to Chicago and their promise to come, Attorney Burkhalter said he had received numerous threats against his life also.

Attorney Mortimer M. Newfield of Mr. Burkhalter's firm made his third visit to Ottawa early this week. The result of his visit, it was learned, was the promise of the doctor to come to Chicago.

"It is understood there will be an investigation of the Matters case by the Ontario provincial authorities," says a dispatch from Ottawa. "There is an investigation of the Misericordia hospital contemplated by the government as well as by the Ontario College of Physicians and Surgeons."

Hospital to Clear Name.

Attorney Burkhalter explained that it was to clear the hospital's good name as well as his own which prompted Dr. Beroard to come to Chicago.

If Judge Horner finds that the child which Mrs. Matters says is hers is in fact illegitimate, she will lose her claim to a larger share than the one-third part of the $150,000 estate of her husband. The claim of the infant is being contested by James Matters of Arcola, Ill., a brother of the dead moving picture magnate.

Mrs. Matters Holds to Story.

Mrs. Matters consistently has maintained the attitude that the child is hers. She insists it strongly resembles her dead husband, and that its weight at birth, 5½ pounds, is proof of the fact that it is hers. According to her story, the child was born prematurely, as a seven months' baby. At the time of his death Mr. Matters was over 60.

The case of her opponents is based on the assertion that the child is in fact that of an unmarried girl named Jessie, and a shoemaker.

The case has been before Judge Horner in the Probate court for several months. The original testimony of both Miss Des Rosiers and Dr. Beroard substantiated Mrs. Matters' statement of the facts.

Dr. Beroard, it was said, will join the army immediately after testifying in Chicago. Both he and Miss Des Rosiers were induced to admit their perjury, it has been said, through the offices of the Catholic church. Miss Des Rosiers said she came upon the word of the priest in confessional that she would be denied absolution until she had righted the wrong she said she committed.

"Peace"—Not Yet Restored in New York.

On Dec. 22 Albert Besnard's famous painting symbolizing "peace" was reported missing from the French line pier, North river, New York. The police have thus far been baffled in their efforts to trace its hiding place. This masterpiece is the property of the French government and was painted by Besnard to be used by France as its share of the decoration of the peace palace at The Hague. It was brought to New York a week ago for public exhibition in aid of the families of French soldier artists. It is said to be worth $200,000.

POLICEMAN ON RETIRED ROLL SHOT IN HOLDUP

Young Man Stabbed to Death; Body Laid on His Own Porch.

FORTY "BAD MEN" TAKEN.

A murder and a murderous assault that may constitute a second manslilling before nightfall ushered Christmas into Chicago last night.

Police Officer John Ransford, retired on pension, was shot by holdup men, receiving a wound from which it is thought he may not recover.

Hugh Lannon, 24 years old, was stabbed to death by three men, who carried his body through the streets to the young man's doorstep, rang the bell of the flat building until a neighbor answered, courteously informed him of the murder, and then made their escape while he was telephoning the police.

Knew Victim's Name.

Frank Stevens is the neighbor. He lives on the first door, 6953 South Honoré street. When aroused by the bell he went to the front door of the building. A young man, his face shaded, called to him.

"You'll find young Lannon dead on your back doorstep," said the young man. "The fellows who killed him put his body there. He lives above you. Better tell his folks."

"Wait until I call the police," said Stevens.

He telephone to the Englewood station. When he reëmerged the young man was gone. The police are looking for three young men of the neighborhood with whom Lannon is said to have been seen during the evening.

Another Policeman Shot.

Two policemen have been killed by holdup men in the Eleventh precinct within five weeks' time. Officer John Ransford, shot last night, may be the third.

Ransford was walking south in State street on his way to his home at 4542 Indiana avenue. As he passed in front of 4443 South State street a Negro stepped from a doorway and ordered him to hold up his hands. Instead of complying Ransford reached for his hip pocket, but before he could draw out his gun his assailant fired a bullet into his abdomen.

Negro Flees as Victim Falls.

Detectives from the Fifteenth street station who heard the shooting reached the scene a few moments later and had Ransford rushed to the Provident hospital where physicians said he probably would die. Detective Sergts. Tully, McNally and Conroy found fresh foot prints leading from the doorway in which the Negro had secreted himself. They followed the prints through the alley and to the rear of 4429 South State street.

The building was surrounded while detectives searched it. In a room on the third floor they found John Cloures. He was in bed and feigning sleep, according to the police. Two revolvers were found in the room. One of them contained an empty chamber and showed signs of having been recently discharged.

As soon as the hospital was reached Ransford was able to give a detailed description of his assailant, which, the police say, tallies somewhat closely to that of Cloures. The Negro was taken to the hospital, but the veteran policeman was unconscious when he arrived and so could not make identification positive. Cloures denied knowledge of the shooting.

Police in Pistol Duel.

Capt. Hunt's new crime sweeper cleaned up a couple of spots yesterday in double quick time. It took a pistol duel to do the work in one job.

A few moments after one robber had held up the offices of the Consumers' company, at 1814 South Western avenue, Hunt's man had him cornered. Ten shots were exchanged before he was pinned down.

He gave his name as Michael Berger, Baker City, Ore. He got away with $110.50, the police say, when he leveled a gun at the two men in the office. He told the police he was 18 years old. Two loaded revolvers were found on him.

Lieut. Charles Johnson and patrolmen from the Hinman street station took part in the running duel.

All told about forty robbers, pickpockets, and con men, the bureau records showed last night, had been rounded up in the preceding twenty-four hours.

The best piece of news of the day, however, according to Capt. Hunt, was the action of Chief Justice Richard E. Burke in the Criminal court in sending five youthful automobile robbers to the penitentiary for from one year to life.

Judge Caverly too, in the Chicago avenue branch of the Municipal court, joined the ranks of the crime sweepers. He plastered a $200 fine on each of two men brought in charged with carrying loaded revolvers.

Some Robberies Reported.

Despite the activity of the police, however, some robberies continued. Among cases reported were the following:

Joseph Hazley, 3134 South Campbell avenue; "strong armed" by two men; succeeded in fighting them off.

Gustave Rune, 718 Rush street; robbed of his overcoat and two Christmas packages at Wells and Chestnut street by three armed men.

Cornelius Asherhouse, 6737 South Ada street, a grocery delivery boy; robbed of $60 by an armed man at 6544 South Union avenue.

G. Goldstein, 3218 Cottage Grove avenue; robbed in his tailor shop of $5 by two men, one of whom carried a revolver.

Anna Olsen, 1467 West Ohio street; robbed of her purse, containing $14, by an armed man at Ohio street and Ashland avenue.

M. Bloom, 1305 South Troy street; robbed of $9 by two men in front of his home.

Burglars ransacked the home of Mrs. Freda Tingreen, 3306 North Harding avenue, last Thursday during the absence of the family, and escaped with $185 and jewelry valued at $300 belonging to her and $320 belonging to Hans Straus, a boarder, according to a report last night to the Irving Park police.

FREIBERG'S HALL REOPENS DOORS

Mayor Allows Chop Suey Cafe to Operate It with a Cabaret.

Freiberg's dance hall in Twenty-second street, after smoldering in obscurity for more than two years, burst forth into new life last night.

The opening, or rather the reopening, was one of Mayor Thompson's Christmas gifts, in that he granted the Hop Hing company, owners of a chop suey restaurant which is operated in one of the corners of the building, permission to open the hall as part of the restaurant, with the privilege of giving cabaret there also.

The announcement that the place was once more to open its doors, locked months ago in an anti-vice crusade, was made by Chief of Police Healey, following a visit to the chief's office by Maj. John V. Clinnin, an assistant corporation counsel.

Nootbaar to Supervise.

"He brought in a ruling approving permission for the operation of a Chinese restaurant using the floor of the old Freiberg hall," said the chief. "It is understood, of course, that the place is to be conducted under the supervision of Capt. Max Nootbaar of that district and that it will be conducted in an orderly manner."

He added, in response to questions as to whether dancing was to be allowed, that the space in the middle of the floor was to remain clear for the entertainers.

The "opening" in the evening was auspicious in preparation but not in patronage. The interior has been redecorated and new furnishings have been installed. Where there formerly was a bare platform a trellis work, hung with artificial vines and roses, with more or less success at artistic draping, shields the band of six Negro musicians.

Center Clear for Dancing.

New tables and chairs have been put in and a strip of crimson carpet borders the four sides of the room, leaving the center unobstructed for dancing.

Save for three or four persons who wandered in by chance during the evening, the one woman entertainer had no one to sing to. Two policewomen from Capt. Nootbaar's staff browsed in, with watchful mien, and the young woman singer gracefully withdrew, although not with such haste as would suggest flight.

It was possible to buy a drink without ordering chop suey, and one of the attendants vouchsafed the information that the dancing, "as soon as things got goin'," would not be limited to the performers.

Ike Bloom, who owns the building, is in New York, it was said. His brother, Sammy Bloom, dropped in for a few minutes, but that was all.

FEELING FINE!

That's How You Will Be, If You Follow Advice of City Health Chief.

The editor of the weekly bulletin of the health department waxed philosophical this week. Here are some of his musings and bits of advice:

Of what good is a clock with a face full of hours if its wheels are out of gear?

Rotten teeth are not fit for even "chewing the rag."

Teeth are a good index of years, both in horses and men. Diseased molars mean premature old age.

Dress appropriately for cold weather, with light underclothing and heavy outer wraps.

Do not overheat your homes, but provide for fresh air in them.

Rich and poor alike sneeze, cough, and blow their noses; but the worst of it is they do these things in each other's faces.

BERTSCHE AND RYAN OUT; BOTH PLAN TO REFORM.

Tell Warden Zimmer of Joliet They Will Walk the Narrow Path in the Future.

On the 4:30 train that drew out of Joliet yesterday there sat in a day coach a middle aged looking person, bald of pate and emphatic of embonpoint. Beside him sat a slender youth, blonde, smiling, twiddling his thumbs.

The middle aged person was "Barney" Bertsche, master of crookdom, and the slender youth was "Jimmy" Ryan, "king" of clairvoyants.

They had been "sprung" out of Joliet—Bertsche and Ryan, who had "cleaned" the loop of Chicago for more than $100,000, who had been double crossed by the police with whom they worked, and who had repaid that double crossing by consigning to Joliet the master of the loop detectives, Halpin, and his chief aide.

It was an easy term they served in Joliet—seven scattered days. Pardoned, they drove in a taxicab from the county jail to the railway station at 1:30 yesterday and took a train for the prison.

The warden supplied each of the noted prisoners with $10 and the price of a ticket to Chicago—74 cents.

"Now, boys," he said, "I don't suppose it's necessary for me to deliver a lecture, but I want you to know that my best wishes are with you. Keep straight and you never need worry about this place."

"And you won't have to worry about me," said Bertsche, "because I'm through. I'm going to get a job in Chicago and go straight."

"I'm going to Wyoming and pass the bar examination," said Ryan. "No more of this easy money for me."

BOY SHOT WHEN HE TRAILS OLDER BOYS WITH RIFLE.

Carmelo Angelo, 9 Years Old, in County Hospital and Two Youths Are Held by Police.

Carmelo Angelo, 9 years old, 1010 South Aberdeen street, was shot with a small caliber rifle yesterday by Philip Lotito, 14 years old, 1018 South Aberdeen street, while he and Joseph Revelk, 15 years old, 1025 South Aberdeen street, were playing in an alley near May and Taylor streets.

Young Lotito and Revelk were shooting rats, according to their story to Lieut. James McGeean of the Maxwell street station. The Angelo boy, they said, wanted to go with them; they refused and he followed behind. In the alley the Lotito boy is said to have pointed the rifle at him and to have commanded him to go home. As he did so the weapon was accidentally discharged.

After the shooting the boys fled, but were later found at their homes and taken to the station, where they are being held. The wounded boy is in a serious condition at the county hospital.

STANDARD OIL FIXING PRICE OF GAS IN NEW YORK CITY?

Public Service Commission Wants to Know and Calls the Attention of Attorney General to Question.

New York, Dec. 24.—[Special.]—The public service commission today took cognisance of the fact that the Standard Oil company is in a position to come pretty close to fixing the price of gas in New York City, but particularly in the borough of Brooklyn. As a result the attention of the United States attorney general has been called to the situation.

William Hayward offered the resolution calling the attention of the attorney general. It states that "if the Standard Oil company is going to fix prices for gas in the First district of New York, we had better know it so that we will not be wasting a lot of time holding hearings."

NATION WARNED AGAINST "GRIP"

Public Health Service Cites Danger; Epidemic Here for the Winter.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Washington, D. C., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—The public health service of the United States today issued a warning against la grippe.

With thousands of cases reported throughout the country, Dr. W. C. Rucker, assistant surgeon general, stated that the epidemic would rage generally during the next few weeks unless persons are particularly careful.

Chicago, Philadelphia, Camden, N. J., and other cities have already reported epidemics.

Disease Causes Many Deaths.

"La grippe is not to be sneezed at," Dr. Rucker declared. "The latest statistics show it causes the death of 12,200 persons annually in the United States. Right now is the middle of the la grippe season. It begins in November, with the advent of cold weather, closed windows and doors and hot furnaces, and attains its maximum in February and early March.

"We must keep up our physical defenses, our preparedness against this germ disease. The best preparedness is fresh air, outdoor sleeping, and plenty of outdoor exercise. Sneezing, coughing, and expectoration are the principal modes of transmission, from secretions of the mouth and nose.

Kissing Spreads La Grippe.

"Children's games spread la grippe. Kissing between infected and noninfected persons should be avoided.

"Overheated, poorly ventilated houses and offices and lack of exercise are the chief causes of the disease."

Dr. Rucker said medical records show la grippe is an old human foe. The first epidemic was recorded in 1173 and the first in the western hemisphere in 1627, in Massachusetts, spreading as far south as Chile.

One freak and unsolved feature of la grippe epidemics is that they travel east to west in a community.

CAUSES SHORTAGE OF NURSES.

Chicago's epidemic of grip has brought about a shortage of nurses. The hospitals are maintaining their quota, but private nurses are difficult to obtain. The Illinois Training school and the nurses' registries have been unable to meet the demand. The shortage has been increased by reason of the fact that the nurses themselves have succumbed to the prevailing illness. Dr. R. T. Vaughan, night superintendent of the county hospital, said that forty of the 270 nurses at the hospital are sick and off duty. Several doctors have appealed to Milwaukee, but were informed there are no nurses to spare in the Wisconsin city.

AUTO BREAKS FUNERAL LINE.

An automobile driven by E. F. Longoshte, Pontoosuc, Ill., skidded on the wet pavement at Chicago avenue and Lake street, Evanston, yesterday and crashed into another automobile in a long funeral procession.

Makes Million on "War Brides" with $7,000 Fund

Flint (Mich.) Man Starts Out Small and Does Pyramiding.

La Salle street brokers frankly say the majority of persons, especially the inexperienced, go broke or get seriously bent in trying to lure riches on the stock market. But here is a story of one of the "one in a thousand" exceptions.

One million dollars profit on war stocks is the fortune made by a man in Flint, Mich., on an investment of $7,000. Yesterday he offered the broker who urged him to buy and handled the transaction for him a Christmas present of a trip to California.

The man from Flint bought 1,000 shares of General Motors company stock in May of last year. The market value was $32 a share, but he advanced only $7,000 in cash and paid the balance of the $32,000 out of his subsequent gains.

By the Pyramid Route.

Then the European war sent the value of the stock skyward. When it reached $80 a share the man from Flint pyramided his gains and bought another 1,000 shares, paying for them with the paper profits on his first 1,000. The market value of his 2,000 shares was then $120,000.

The stock soared to $99 and then dropped back to $88. His friends became frightened and urged him to sell before the values fell farther. He disregarded their advice and held onto his stock. Now it is worth $475 a share, or $950,000.

Going On Up!

Oct. 1 he received $100,000 as a cash dividend from his 2,000 shares. This, added to the paper value of the stock he holds, totals more than a million dollars profit.

His name? Why, the brokers decline to make it public, not wishing to "tip off" the income tax agents.

COST OF COURTESY $135.

Mrs. Carrie L. Stone, a Chicago Visitor, Finds Pocket Picked.

The man and woman who assisted Mrs. Carrie L. Stone, a visitor in Chicago, to board a North Clark street car at Madison street on Thursday charged her $135 for their services, according to her report to the police. Yesterday Mrs. Stone, who is stopping with friends at 5332 North Clark street, went to the bureau of identification and picked out the picture of Alice Burns as the woman who had helped her on the car. Mrs. Burns, who is the wife of Frankie Burns, a thief of international reputation, and who, according to the police, possesses a long record as a pickpocket herself, was arrested at 2000 Ellis avenue.

JACK JOHNSON ASKS TO RETURN

Writes Clyne to "Act with Justice" So He Can Escape Prison Sentence.

Jack Johnson and Mrs. Jack want to return to the good old United States, and they don't want to come back just to have Jack put in jail by the federal authorities. So they have written a letter to District Attorney Charles F. Clyne asking him to review the evidence against Jack and recommend the erstwhile world's champion for clemency. Mr. Clyne received the letter yesterday. At the time of its writing Jack and The Missus were in London.

Here's an excerpt from Jack's appeal:

"I feel that you have been in office long enough to understand my case, and having such an understanding, you will act with justice."

Safer Places than Europe.

According to Jack, he is being persecuted and prosecuted. For a while he fought back, but now he wants to call it quits. There are safer places than Europe and Great Britain these days, opines Jack.

"Johnson has been convicted in the United States courts and is a fugitive from justice so far as the government is concerned," Mr. Clyne said yesterday.

Using American Passport.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—Reports have reached the state department from unofficial sources that Jack Johnson has been using an American passport in his travels about England and the continent. Officials of the government abroad have been asked to investigate the reports. After his fight with Jess Willard at Havana, Johnson's application for an American passport was refused by the national government. The defeated champion then made his way to Europe without a passport. Recent dispatches have stated that Johnson has been recruiting volunteers for the allies.

HELD HANDS 25 MINUTES AS HUSBAND WATCHED.

Max Says It Was Too Long for Any Wife, and He'll Probably Get a Divorce.

For twenty-five minutes her dainty fingers reposed in his.

Under the "L" structure at Fifth avenue and Madison street on the day after Thanksgiving Max Ertl, manager of a loop restaurant, watched his wife whose first name is Gertrude, and "the other man." He told Judge McDonald about it yesterday and the judge said he'd grant the divorce.

Edward Conway an engineer, lost his thirty-second job in one year. The others were but temporary and departed as a protest against Mr. Conway's superior affection for liquid democracy.

The thirty-second was the job of husband to Mrs. Nellie Conway, and the only job Mr. Conway had adhered to with any degree of permanence. Judge McDonald fired him.

FLICKERINGS from FILMLAND

"Over Night" Not So Bad as It Sounds.

"OVER NIGHT."
Produced by Brady. Released by World.
Mrs. Darling.....Vivian Martin
Percy Darling.....Sam B. Hardy
Mrs. Kettle.....Florence Morrison
Richard Kettle.....Herbert Yost
Director, James Young.

BY KITTY KELLY.

IT was very thin ice they skated over, the producer and players in this picture, but they are artists in skating adroitness and never once did the ice of decency even creak, though the layout of situations in the adaptation of Philip Bartholomae's farce would take the blue ribbon for unconventionality.

It is all about two pairs of honeymooners starting out on the boat for Albany, and getting themselves differently assorted than Cupid and the minister had done it. The ingenue pair, consisting of Miss Martin and Mrs. Hardy, meet the comedy pair, Miss Morrison and Mr. Yost, then really funny things begin to happen. For Mr. Darling and Mrs. Kettle are the managers of their respective establishments, and so they both skip off the boat to do a couple of errands, while the boat steams away, leaving them ashore and the other parties to the parts of aboard.

The incidents of endurance on the boat, and of pursuance on shore are of a splendidly sustained type of funniness, with never a breath of vulgarity, and they rush into the climax of reunion at full tilt.

For workmanship, the picture ranks exceeding well. It is happily directed, beautifully set and the comedy touch is kept at the front all of the time. Mr. Hardy is uniformly a satisfying player, performing with a poise that makes him seem a real person, Mr. Yost gets funnier as he proceeds, and Miss Morrison is jolly with her solid comedy. Miss Martin is a dainty person deserving of auditorium admiration.

It a good to see the quality of comedy increasing, and the spontaneous laughter of the seers demonstrates it is appreciated.

However, outrageous lithographs have been prepared to lure people in to the seeing of this delightful comedy.

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Holiday Week Films.

This week, as holiday week should be, is rich in picture blessings. The children's party at the Strand today goes right along with a fairy story, "Such a Princess." Tomorrow Geraldine Farrar comes back in her second celluloid appearance, "Temptation."

The Ziegfeld's attraction, beginning today, is Valeska Suratt in "The Immigrant" and Thomas Ross in "The Senator."

To the Studebaker on Monday comes the long looked for Don Quixote with De Wolf Hopper, on which Mr. Griffith has looked with particular approval. The Ince picture is "The Despoiler" and the Keystone contribution "The Hunt," with Ford Sterling.

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Two New South Side Movies.

Two new south side picture houses make their debut today. Alfred Hamburger's house, The Prairie, at Prairie avenue and Fifty-eighth street, one of the finest in his chain of sixteen, opens with a matinée performance. Ascher Bros. introduce The Columbus, Ashland avenue and Sixty-third street, to the picture going public.

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Ruth Stonehouse—a Real Santa Claus.

Miss Ruth Stonehouse, Essanay star, gave a very special kind of Christmas party at her home last night. You wouldn't find her guests listed in the Blue Book, nor in the telephone directory, nor even maybe in the city directory, for they were ten very poor little children who would have had no Christmas cheer otherwise. She had a tree for them—a very fruitful one—and she had a turkey dinner with all of the harmonious "fixings." Her namesake niece, of age 1 year, was ostensible hostess.

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In the Exhibitors' Stockings.

The following cutouts were ordered in films inspected by the municipal censor board at the city hall yesterday:

EVERY GIRL [Knickerbocker]—Two scenes in disorderly house.

LOVE'S PILGRIMAGE TO AMERICA [Broadway Universal]—Tramp stealing suitcase, rings, and jewelry.

DESTRUCTION [Fox]—Closeup of woman in extremely low gown bending over husband; seven scenes of man exposed to waist and shorten two to half; entire scene of man embracing woman in suggestive manner after he catches her; closeup of woman with waist torn after man's suggestive embrace.

THE LITTLE UPSTART [Laemmle]—Subtitles "This letter will cost you $500," "I've changed my mind, I want $5,000"; two scenes of man paying blackmail.

THE RACK [World]. All scenes in roadhouse from time man locks door to where husband breaks into room.

MISS VIVIAN MARTIN

TO all those folks who daily meet here for a little glimpse of the big world of moving pictures, the editor sends warmest Christmas wishes, with the hope that the coming year may be richer in happiness and success than has the past.

Kitty Kelly

MARION HARLAND'S HELPING HAND

by Marion Harland

Request Brings Many Responses.

"I HAVE had several responses to the request you were so kind as to print in your Corner for records for my talking machine. Several readers have been kind enough to send some to me. I received a lot from a Rose C. M., but on the card she inclosed she failed to make known her address. I should have written to her personally if you could have sent me her address. I also received records from a Mrs. S. I cannot tell you how happy you have made me with your Helping Hand Corner.

"HERBERT L."

Should Rose C. M. chance to see this paragraph will she favor us with her address? It is not upon our books and we wish to join our thanks with those of the brave man she has helped to make happy. It was a lovely thought upon the part of all who sent music and cheer into the home of one who needed both sadly.

Rug and Quilt Pieces.

"Pieces for quilts or rugs would help to pass many otherwise dreary hours for certain old ladies who are also shut in, and, with winter, their loneliness, as well as the need of more comforts, increases. Can you possibly let me have the address of any one making an offer of these? I will return the favor in any way that I can, with all my heart. I shall also try to repay the one who may send any bit of cheer to these lonely old ladies. I thank you for all the help the Corner has brought me, in reading it—such good, helpful letters! How I should love to answer each request! MRS. G. F."

We let you tell the story in your own way. Nothing we could say would plead so eloquently for the old ladies whose loneliness and lack of material comforts have enlisted your sympathies. We will apprise you at once of similar offers that may be the abundant fruit of your appeal. Who will lead off in the rush to fill the hands, laps, and hearts of the lonely shut-ins with pieces, plus hope and happiness in the thought that their fellow women feel with and for them?

To Complete a Quilt.

"I am a young girl and have a dear friend. She started to make a patch velvet quilt for a bazaar, but finds she does not have enough pieces to complete it. She is anxious to do her duty toward the fair. I have looked almost everywhere for bits of velvet of different shades, but without success. I now turn to your Corner. I am willing to pay all expenses if you will be so kind as to tell me where I can get the scraps for the quilt.

"MAE B."

It is a new member who thus writes to us. Her letter is admirable throughout and this—her maiden request—is most reasonable. Her address is at the call of the loyal helpers, in whom she has such generous confidence.

Sung Thirty Years Ago.

"M. J. C. asked for the words of the 'Yellow Rose of Texas.' My mother used to sing it to us about thirty years ago. I used to know the words, which I learned from her singing. I have tried to recall them and have herewith written down what I recollect, probably not all the lines, but what I send may help her to recall the rest. Perhaps some one else will send in a more complete copy.

"B. S. C."

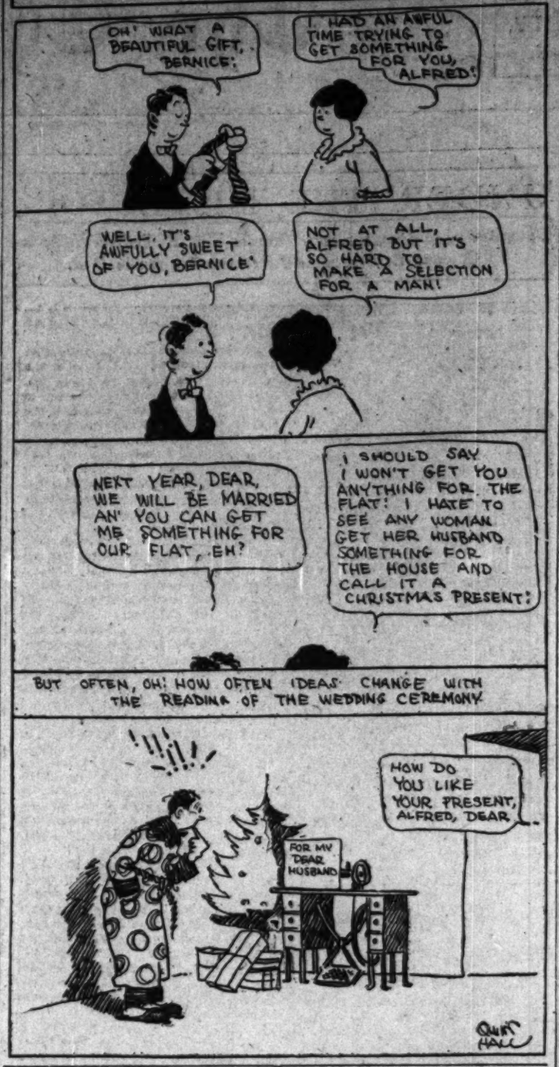
The copy donated by yourself is held for the one who asked for it. It will be forwarded to her in any event, if only to testify to your friendliness. Should a complete copy reach her, she will still value your's and be grateful—as we are!

Ink Stain on Leather.

"I had the misfortune to spill some ink upon a russet leather slipper. Can you tell me how to erase it without injuring the color of the morocco? EDITH M. L."

Moisten the spot slightly and with the tip of your finger rub into it crystals of oxalic acid. Leave them on for a minute, brush off, and repeat the process. Sometimes this method is completely successful. Repeat until the stain is gone. The color of the leather will be injured. Judicious use of the russet polish used for cleaning leather should set all right. Valuable books bound in colored morocco may be treated in the same way, should they be ink stained, as often happens.

BEFORE AND AFTER TAKING.



AMUSEMENTS

AUDITORIUM
Grand Opera
Today at 2, BUTTERFLY—Farrar, Simmons, Bassi, Frederici, Campanini, Cond.
Tonight at 8—(Popular prices, 50c to $2.50) LOVERS' QUARREL—Sharlow, Johnson, Hamlin, Marr, Farelli, Cond. PAGLIACCI—Melis, Ferrari-Fontana, Ancona, Fraccaroli, Cond. BALLET—Dance of the Hours with Piovella, Spadoni, Cond.
Tomorrow at 4:30, PARSIFAL—Fremstad, Stiles, Whitehill, Hinckley, Book, Von Ende, Gorno, Pollak, Cond.
Mon. at 8, L'AMORE DEI TRE RE—Rappold, Alvina, Ferrari-Fontana, Whitehill, Sheehan, Ferrari, Cond. Followed by BALLET OF NATIONS.
Tues. at 8, CARMEN—Farrar, Matzenauer, Stanley, Dufranne, Campanini, Cond.
Wed. at 8, LA NAVARRAISE—Farrar, Dalmores, Arimondi, Nicolay, Dua, Campanini, Cond. PAGLIACCI—Melis, Bassi, Arimondi, Ferrari, Cond.
Thurs. at 8, ROMEO AND JULIET—Farrar, Kousnetzoff [Debut], Muratore, Journet, Arimondi, Dua, Paviowska, Charlier, Cond.
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That Disagreeable Sniffling Habit.

Antoinette Donnelly

IS it ill breeding, thoughtlessness, or selfishness that provides the reason for sniffles and snuffles? It is surprising the number of people who are guilty of this unpleasant habit. The following letter from a correspondent of mine sounds the general attitude of people of refinement toward folk who drift into the unfortunate fault:

"I wish very much you would draw attention to the bad habit of sniffling, which, I think, is most disagreeable and disgusting to people with ears and eyes that are ordinarily sensitive.

"It is a common habit. People who are refined in many other directions indulge in it when they have a cold. But no cold can justify such a disgusting noise as is made by sniffling and snuffling. You will see a person with only a slight cold make as much distressing noise with her nose as she possible can, and do it complacently, too, as if she liked to draw attention and sympathy to herself in that way.

"When I am with a sniffler—forced to bear her company for any length of time—I find myself wondering when the next sniffle or sniff will come with a distressing attention. It makes me nervous, too, when entertaining a caller to see her constantly rub her nose in the course of conversation. I long to tell her to leave her nose alone. But no grown person can be spoken to in that way except through your department, and I am glad to have this outlet for my feelings. MRS. H. E. A."

There is no reason why a woman troubled with a cold should not be able to excuse herself and go off into some private corner and blow her nose good and hard. If necessary, let her excuse herself more than once. She will be a more welcome guest next time than if she disregards other people's finer senses with the sniffles.

The prevalence of nasal catarrh is responsible for much of this sniffling and also for hawking in the throat. Attention to general health is the first step toward overcoming the trouble. Under this must be considered the clothing, food, ventilation, and exercise. Clothing should be sufficiently warm to be a protection against cold and winds. Shoes with soles thick enough to protect the feet are absolutely necessary. And remember, too, that it is not so much the matter of getting wet as it is of sitting in damp clothing.

KEEP THE CORNERS OF YOUR UP

HOW I HAVE KEPT YOUNG.

Was it by keeping your waist reduced and your hips slender? And how did you do this? Was it by some trick of dressing hair or figure? Was it by not forgetting how to play? Was it by certain rules of living and exercising? "The Tribune" will pay $1 for actual experiences on How I Have Kept Young. Address Antoinette Donnelly, Chicago Tribune.

Antoinette Donnelly's Answers.

V. L.: The pores become enlarged because they become clogged with secretions. So the first thing to do is to use a face brush and pure soap to free the pores from the secretions. Scrub your face with hot water and soap, rinse off with warm water, then apply cold water. If possible rub ice over the enlarged pores after scrubbing them, as it is most effective in closing the pores and toning up the skin. Witch hazel is one of the best astringents known. It is more effective when warmed. Apply with a piece of absorbent cotton night and morning. I shall be glad to send you my treatment for blackheads and pimples if you will send me a stamped, addressed envelope.

WORRIED: I am sure this formula will greatly improve the condition of your neck. Lactic acid, one fluid ounce; glycerin, two fluid ounces; tincture of benzoin, two fluid drams, and water enough to make sixteen fluid ounces. If the skin shows slight irritation, discontinue for a day or two and use cold cream. I have a treatment for pimples and blackheads which I shall be glad to send you if you will send me a stamped, addressed envelope.

MRS. S. A.: Don't worry about those precious fifteen pounds of flesh you have gained in four months. Do you realize that a woman 60 years of age who is five feet four and one-half inches in height should weigh 144 pounds? Instead of reducing, I should suggest your trying to build up your health until you reach the standard weight. Now that you are not nursing any more and do not have to bend over beds, it will be much easier to take exercises for keeping your shoulders straight, and after you are straight once again you will be able to see where you need more flesh to round out and perfect your figure.

VERA: I fear you have not given the tonic for oily hair a fair trial. You know you cannot overcome in two weeks a condition that has existed for a year or more. Be persevering in the treatment for five or six months and I am sure you will see a decided improvement.

MILDRED: Yes, you are too thin, Mildred. A girl 5 feet 3 inches in height at 16 should weigh 120 pounds. I am glad you made the first venture. Venture again, won't you?

Doris Blake Says

"Marriage must be made in heaven, for heaven only knows the why of some of them."

Have you a perplexing love affair in which you need the counsel of a friend? Write to Doris Blake, care of "The Tribune." If you wish a personal reply send stamped and addressed envelope.

Do you know a real love story—one that is stranger than fiction? "The Tribune" will pay $5 for every story published. Manuscripts will not be returned. Address Doris Blake, "The Tribune," Chicago.

Love without Attention.

"Dear Miss Blake: Will you kindly give your opinion, through the columns of the morning paper, on the following question? Is it possible for a woman to fall in love with a man who does not pay her any attention whatever? I mean really in love. GRACE R."

Yes, it is. History tells us of hundreds of instances, and daily life presents us with plenty more examples. The how and why have never been explained—just human nature, we say. It usually results in heartaches and headaches, so if you are considering such a step, stop and consider.

Kisses? Not Unless Engaged.

"Dear Miss Blake: Kindly answer me these few questions: Is it proper to let a fellow kiss you after you have gone with him for about a year and are keeping steady company? What is the polite thing to say when a fellow says he has enjoyed your dance? SIS."

Not unless he has asked you to share the ups and downs of life with him. You see, unless he is really in earnest, he should not monopolize your time to such an extent, and if he is in earnest, he ought to tell you so, then he would have the right to claim your kisses. Simply say, "Thank you" with your best smile, or put on the smile without words; it's sometimes just as effective. It isn't a time for many words.

Give Him Another Trial.

"Dear Miss Blake: I have been going with a young man for two years and had a little love affair. About the end of the two years we separated. I went to the city and he stayed in town.

"We did not correspond at all, then lately he wrote to me, telling me that he had lost my first address and could not write. Now we correspond again.

"Do you think it's right for me to write to him after such an absence?

"HEARTACHE."

Why sign yourself "Heartache?" I should think that if you had been mourning him all this time you would be only too glad to take up the broken links again. His explanation sounds fairly reasonable, and I should take him at his word, for evidently you must have trusted him in the past. At least give him another trial.

Have They Sinned?

"Dear Miss Blake—Our lives are all a past. We were once popular boys in this town, but we were suddenly cut short for some reason unknown to us. We have no especially bad habits, and can see no reason for our social downfall except that some unfriendly and jealous companions have lowered us in the estimation of our girl friends by telling them false stories about us. Is there any way of finding out the truth and putting things to the right? We are 18 years old and come from good families. We will look for your answer. J. M. AND F. T."

At 18 why should the world look so dark? You sound as if you were returning from a prison sentence. Go to your erstwhile friends, ask them what they have heard, give them the proof of your innocence, and stand up straight before the world. That surely will bring you back to your old station.

She Asked for a Kiss.

"Dear Miss Blake: I am a high school boy of 16. I have been going with a girl for almost a year and I thought a great deal of her, but lately I have been hearing things about her, and the other evening she asked me to kiss her. In other ways she has seemed bold and I made up my mind to drop her. Yesterday she wrote me a letter saying that she thought all the more of me because I had acted as I had and hoped that I would come to see her again. What shall I do? H. R."

When a girl starts doing the love making I think it's time for you to look elsewhere for your friends. Granted, this is an advanced age, but we still have some old fashioned ideas about feminine boldness. Either drop her acquaintance or get some older woman to talk to her in a kindly way about her attitude toward men.

Fashions from London

One of the new bodice petticoats trimmed with white fox around the bottom and with a black velvet bow in the front.

LONDON.—[Special Correspondence.]—A charming creation in Neptune satin and fur, and trimmed with handsome black velvet ribbons. It is cut sufficiently low so that it may be easily worn under the lowest of the new evening dresses. Over the shoulders are single bands of black velvet and the front of the bodice is daintily embroidered. It may be noticed, too, that the skirt is not so short as in the early fall, but comes well down about the ankles.

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Maurice was anxious to have Santa Claus bring him a pair of skates for Christmas. One evening he sat pondering anxiously. "What is the trouble, Maurice? What are you worrying about?" he was asked. "O, I'm just wondering how Santa Claus is going to get the bust measure of my foot." H. B. A.

Edith, an only child, had been taught to be unselfish with her toys when little playmates visited her, but her cousin Mark, a house guest, tried her generous spirit sorely. At the end of the third day she hesitated a minute at the end of her prayers, then added fervently, "and dear Lord, while you are busy making me unselfish, please don't forget Marcus!" C. L. T.

Grace, had twin brothers a year older than herself, who were mischievous.

"Papa," she said one day, "every night when Harry and Willie say their prayers they ask God to make them good boys."

"That's nice," replied the father.

"Well," queried the little skeptic, "why don't he?" R. H.

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All recipes have been scientifically tested by Miss Eddington with current market materials and are indorsed by her.

Some Christmas Dishes.

IT seems eminently suitable that the Christmas dinner should be a sane and wholesome one; with revels of some other sort than those which come from the high tastes of viands but leave low spirits some hours after. Those who give even a passing thought to health at such a dinner will revel in the cool celery, some simple rice or potato, a refreshing orange, and leave the alcoholic blazing things to others who value a tradition above health.

To Fringe Celery.

Cut nice stalks of celery down a third of their length in as small and even threads as you can. Then throw into ice water sever hours, when the cut parts will curl. Both ends of the stalk may be cut and be the more suitable for garnishing the roast. A pile of fringed celery in a celery dish is much prettier than the plain stalks.

Red Stars.

If rice instead of potato is used for a vegetable, mold the boiled and steamed rice, steamed till every kernel stands out, in a small pan, then put strips of pimento on it, laying them from the center. Or decorate a plain green salad in the same way, or one of the blanched German endive.

Potato Balls.

If you have a cutter cut out small balls from large potatoes, boil and use as one of the pretty garnishes of the roast.

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SOCIETY and Entertainments

Holiday Betrothal Announcements.

SENTIMENT of various shadings creeps into everything at holiday time and this morning there are several engagements to be announced which have been withheld by special request until Christmas day.

Residents of the north shore will be interested in the engagement announcement of Miss Ruth Taylor Layman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin S. Layman of Hubbard Woods, to Gordon Copeland of Glencoe, which is made today.

From Lake Forest comes the announcement, which is made in Rochester, N. Y., today as well as in Chicago, of the engagement of Miss Caroline Rowley Clarke, daughter of Mrs. Wilton Clarke of Rochester, to the Rev. Horace Farwell Ferry, son of Mrs. Abby Farwell Ferry of Lake Forest.

Mr. Ferry was a student at the McCormick Theological seminary and is a graduate of the Union Theological seminary of New York. He has built three Presbyterian churches and is building a fourth at the present time. No date is set for the wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Knill announce the engagement of their daughter, Dorothy Jane, to Myron Bishop Hart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Manuel B. Hart of Kenilworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace E. R. Wood of 5641 Harper avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Florence, to Howard Russell Votaw.

Mr. and Mrs. William James Smyth of 6144 Yale avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Florence East, to Everett Wilcox Williams of Milwaukee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Williams of Chicago.

This afternoon at 4:55 a large party of Chicagoans will leave for Lake Geneva, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Mitchell and Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. Swift, who have planned to give a large house party over the week end. In the party will be Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Swift, Mr. and Mrs. Huntington B. Henry, John and Clarence Mitchell, Edward F. Swift Jr., Louisa Mitchell, T. Philip Swift, William Mitchell, and Miss Stevens.

There will be a dance given this evening for the young people at the Horticultural hall and various winter sports will be indulged in tomorrow. The party returns by special train Monday forenoon.

Miss Margaret Wallbank, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Wallbank of Oak Park, entertained twenty young women, home for the holidays from Dana hall where she attends school, at a tea-dance at the Blackstone yesterday afternoon. The tables were decorated with red roses and Christmas greens.

Mrs. Stanley Woodworth of 2961 Michigan avenue is chairman of the committee in charge of the entertainment to be given for the benefit of the Glenwood Manual Training school on Monday evening, Jan. 17. The woman's auxiliary of the school have taken over the opening night of Weber and Fields' engagement at the Majestic theater for their charity.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Greenebaum of 4843 Vincennes avenue announce the marriage of their niece, Miss Marie White, to Richard A. Barchardt, which took place on Dec. 22 at Visitation church.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Powers of 4742 Ellis avenue will entertain a large Christmas party at dinner today.

Mrs. Stewart Hodges of 61 Bellevue place and her mother, Mrs. Lawrence Hallberg, left Wednesday for Florida. Mr. Hodges has gone to Mexico to hunt and plans to return to Chicago about the first of February.

Mrs. E. M. Rosenthal and Mrs. Samuel Ettlewanger will be at home informally on Monday afternoon, Dec. 27.

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Christmas Party at the Kenwood Club.

Several hundred children attended the Christmas party given yesterday afternoon by the Kenwood club. It was the annual celebration for the children of members.

Mrs. Raymond Owen had charge of the party at the Ridgeway club. Among the children present were the following:

Girls.

Edna Anderson,	Virginia Miller,
Helen Blondin,	Georgiana MacKey,
Grace Blondin,	Dora Owens,
Muriel Cardy,	Eleanor Owens,
Grace Chettram,	Margery Smith,
Mina Cornish,	Shirley Smith,
Myrtle Cornish,	Kathryn Smith,
Marguerite Cornish,	Harriette Scheeles,
Marguerite Callaghan,	Shillie Shea,
Marion Durante,	Frances Schleyer,
Theresa Durante,	Lillian Schleyer,
Jessie Durante,	Jane Sowers,
Jean Durante,	Mary Jane Warren,
Virginia Gerard,	Mildred Wilson,
Eleanor Hughes,	Grace Wolfe,
Madeline Kennedy,	Frances Ward,
Suzanne Kern,	Winnifred Ward,
Elizabeth Lish,	Barbara Webb.
Gertrude Lish,	

Boys.

Clark Baker,	Charles Olson,
Lowell Baker,	Walter Smith,
Dudley Beldam,	Thomas Sullivan,
Hudson Fel[illegible],	Ned Soper,
Stanley Blondin,	Grant Soper,
James Cardy,	William Sukens,
Wilfred Cardy,	Clairney Schleyer,
Junior Chettram,	Norman Smith,
William Casey,	Horner Smith,
Kenneth Couchenour,	Henry Sowers,
Charles Detrich,	Joseph Vogt,
George Fasmer,	Robert Wallace,
John Gerard,	John Woodruff,
John Garrity,	Frank Woodruff,
Edmund Garrity,	Dick Ward,
Alfred Heath,	Bob Ward.
George Heath,	

The Willard theater at Calumet avenue and Fifty-first street gave a party to the orphans of the Beecher home, Fifty-first street and South Park avenue. Three hundred children were present.

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Jewish Teachers Meet.

The second day's session of the convention of the Interstate Jewish Religious Teachers' association will be held today at Isaiah Temple, Forty-fifth street and Vincennes avenue. Rabbi Joseph Stolz will conduct a religious service in the morning at 10:30. At 2 p. m., Prof. J. Z. Lauterbach of the Hebrew Union college, the Jewish theological seminary in Cincinnati, will speak on "Jewish Ceremonial." At 8 p. m. there will be a round table discussion on the application of pedagogic principles in the religious school led by Miss Mary Roth of Chicago. She will receive in honor of the visiting teachers in the evening at her residence, 4814 Michigan avenue.

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Dance at the Oak Park Club.

At the Oak Park club tonight the annual Christmas sons' and daughters' dance will be held.

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Open House at Ridgeway Club.

There will be "open house" at the Ridgeway club today.

MISS LUCILE HANSEN

MISS LUCILE HANSEN and W. I. Russell have been chosen to lead the grand march at the dance to be given Monday in connection with the annual convention of the Lambda Sigma Phi fraternity, which will be held at the Hotel La Salle next week. Tuesday the annual banquet to the members will be given and on Thursday the annual election of officers will be held.

Now We Can Take a Long, Long Breath!

BY CINDERELLA.

HEIGHO! So it's Christmas! And now we can take a long breath and think about all the lovely Christmas dinners and parties we're going to today, and know that the worst is over.

The days are getting longer, and Monday'll soon be here, and if any of our presents annoy us very much, we can take them back and exchange them for something we like better. After all, this is a great little world!

And as for the Christmas cards—wonder if everybody else got millions and billions of them?

Ever and ever so many people are having Christmas trees this year, among them being the John Crerars, who have sent out invitations for "eggnogg" after the English style at 4 o'clock in their Prairie avenue house.

Mr. Crerar, being English, means to be cheerful this Christmas, in spite of having so many nephews in the war, as there are two little Crerar girls.

There has been a perfect rage for entertaining this week, which has rather complicated Christmas, but so many attractive people are passing through town.

Thursday night Mr. and Mrs. Arthur J. Eddy had a dinner for Mrs. Potter Palmer at 4152 Sheridan road, which was very interesting. Mrs. Palmer, all in black, with a jetted ornament in her coiffure, was looking handsome. Asked to meet her were Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Lathrop, Mr. and Mrs. Carter Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. James B. Waller, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Black, and Frederick B. Tuttle.

The unique feature of the party was after dinner, when Mr. Eddy personally conducted the guests to the inferno, where he keeps his collection of cubist pictures. Mrs. Palmer, it seems, had never seen them, and was much entertained at this private view, and also, perchance, at Mr. Eddy's impromptu lecture on the subject.

At Mrs. Palmer's at home last Monday, visitors had the unique surprise of meeting M. and Mme. Muratore, the famous tenor and his beautiful wife, the noted Cavalieri. The Muratores had been lunching informally with Mrs. Palmer and stayed on all the afternoon with her, meeting her friends.

Mrs. Palmer showed Muratore, who is something of an artist on the side, through her gallery of paintings, which still has many beautiful things of the modern French school.

And Muratore entertained his hostess and Mrs. Grant with stories here and there of his recent six months in the trenches.

Mme. Cavalieri does wear such a queer little hat—it looks like a demure little Salvation Army bonnet with a William Tell apple on top.

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Jewish Congress Issues Call.

Announcements are to be sent shortly to all Jewish organizations in Illinois, Michigan, Indiana, and Wisconsin telling of the meeting planned for Jan. 23 under the auspices of the Jewish Congress association of Chicago. The meeting will look toward the calling of a general congress representative of the whole country to express the attitude of the Jews of America toward the problems of the Jews in other countries.

The call reads in part:

"The Chicago Jewish Congress association is merely a temporary body for the purpose of issuing this call. The convention when organized will be the democratic body representative of the Jewish forces in this territory. It is hoped that all organizations will participate and that this convention will be representative of the entire Jewish public within the territory.

"The entire country is expected to organize similarly in districts, cities, or communities, and stand ready to speak on behalf of our suffering people."

The meeting will be held at the Hotel Sherman. The call carries the names of Nathan D. Kaplan, chairman; J. G. Grossberg, Mrs. Julius Stone, Max Shulman, Rabbi Tobias Schanfarber, and others.

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Lorimer Memorial Church to Open

The Lorimer Memorial Baptist church, at Seventy-third street and St. Lawrence avenue, will hold its first services in the church tomorrow morning. The corner stone of the church was laid a few months ago. Christmas exercises will be held next Tuesday evening. The Rev. Charles B. Althoff is pastor of the church.

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I. A. C. Buys Opera Boxes.

The Illinois Athletic club has purchased forty boxes for the gala performance of the Chicago Grand Opera company tonight. It will be the first appearance this season of George Hamlin.

MUSIC and the MUSICIANS

Flutist Soloist at the Symphony.

BY ERIC DE LAMARTER.

SIDNEY LANIER, we believe it was, who dreamed of the time when every symphony orchestra would boast as large a section of first flutes as it numbers first violins. There-at many sophisticated folk grinned sympathetically, and put it down to the fact that the poet was an amateur flutist.

Every one knows that an amateur flute player is the fruit of carelessness on the part of the Fates, and to be a poet, too, passes understanding. In novels and in poetry they breathe upon the flute in the gloaming, all these old fashioned heroes: in real life the professionals are commonly regarded as the hemstitching on the orchestral petticoat.

All the same, Alfred Quensel, first flutist of the Chicago Symphony orchestra, quite explained Lanier's rhapsody about the instrument in his playing of a sonata by Jules Mouquet, "The Flute of Pan," which the soloist orchestrated for his annual appearance with the orchestra yesterday afternoon at Orchestra hall.

For once in the season Mr. Quensel shook off the anonymity clouding the origin of the tendrils and whorls of melody he drapes about the ensemble's hymning and challenged his hearers with variety and depth of flute tone, with technical feat and artistry of interpretation.

The Mouquet sonata was a lucky "find" for Mr. Quensel. It is a series of three movements, having for captions "Pan and the Shepherds," "Pan and the Birds," and "Pan and the Nymphs." It is dainty, fanciful, captiously colored. It is touched with enough of the modern tricks to make it fresh, and simple enough of design to be perfectly clear. It is well adjusted to the orchestra.

Through its pretty rhymes of melody Mr. Quensel disported himself with clean, rhythmic cantilene, with unbelievably speedy staccatos and rushes of passage work, with trills and roulades, with rich, even tone in the lower octave and brilliant in the upper reaches. Had he been disposed to "work the curtains," as the opera stars do, he might have prolonged his salaams indefinitely, so enthusiastic was the audience.

The whole program was enjoyable. Bach's Pastorale from the "Christmas Oratorio," for which wood winds and strings equally merit praise for the deftness of its playing, and a short Serenade for strings from the exhaustless Mozart repertory, preceded "The Flute of Pan." Bruneau's "La Belle au Bois Dormant," a brief tone-poem, fairly regular of appearance in these concerts, received its customary salute.

The Dvorak D minor symphony, welcomed by some a few less than the "New World's" hosts of admirers, was given splendid performance. If there were any way of arguing the question of its being a better symphony than its popular consort, it would be interesting to consider the matter. But what would a "better" symphony than the "New World" be—one that gives more pleasure to more people? This one doesn't. Yet the leather souled craftsman rejoices in its breadth, its skill in expedient, its heartier feeling and more comprehensive expression, while he wrinkles his nose at the "New World."

Anyway, it was an excellent interpretation, and will be repeated this evening at 8:15 o' th' clock.

"Madame Butterfly" will be repeated this afternoon at the Auditorium with Mmes. Farrar, Ingram, and Peterson, and MM. Bassi and Frederici in the cast, Mr. Campanini conducting.

Parelli's "A Lover's Quarrel," "Pagliacci," and a ballet will be the bill this evening, Mr. Parelli conducting the performance of his own work, and Mr. Ferrari, the veteran.

Leoncavallo it is said, will not come to this city to supervise the mounting of his "Zaza," as had been expected, saying that he is too ill to make the trip.

"Parsifal," to be presented tomorrow afternoon and evening at the Auditorium, probably will be repeated on the afternoon of Jan. 9.

OBITUARY.

GEORGE W. GIRLING, who is said to have been the best paid employé of P. D. Armour at the time the latter began the packing business in Chicago, died yesterday at the home of a daughter in Oak Park. Before going to work for Mr. Armour Girling had been employed by Alexander Bell, one of Chicago's earliest packers, who sold his business to Armour. He worked as a mechanical engineer for several years and then engaged in the coal business at South Canal and West Polk streets. He was born in Batow, England, eighty-two years ago and came to Chicago when 21 years old. Mr. Girling leaves three sons and one daughter.

MRS. CLARA VON OBSTFELDER TISCHER, 72 years old, died on Saturday at the residence of her daughter, Mrs Ada Posthuma, wife of the vice consul for the Netherlands, 1108 North Shore avenue. She lived in Chicago since 1866, and was a pioneer of the northwest side since 1871. She was born in Germany and came to Chicago when 23 years old. She leaves a husband, Otto Tischer; three daughters, Mrs. E. Palma Beaudette, Mrs. Ada Posthuma, Mrs. Winona Jurs, and a granddaughter, Mrs. Ezra Winter.

MRS. RALPH C. ERSKINE, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Peattie of THE TRIBUNE staff, died at her home in Stamford, Conn., yesterday. She was Barbara Peattie, born in Chicago and educated at the Kirkland school and Dearborn seminary. She was married to Mr Erskine in 1905, and made her home in Tryon, N. C., for several years. Three small sons are left. Mrs. Peattie arrived in Stamford last night.

MARY NELSON died on Monday at the residence of her daughter, Annie S. Nelson, 4053 Jackson boulevard. Mrs. Nelson was 93 years old and had spent most of her life in Chicago. She is survived by four sons, P. Nelson and C. Nelson of Chicago, H. Nelson of Bowdon, N. D., and J. C. Nelson of Albert Lea, Minn., and a daughter, Annie S. Nelson of Chicago.

BIAGIO BALDINA, brother of Dan Baldina, a well known real estate man on the west side, died at 617 South Racine avenue. He is survived by his widow, three sons, and a daughter.

THEODORE ALBERT, a resident of this city for many years, died at 3738 North Greenview avenue, aged 77 years. He is survived by a widow, two sons, and a daughter.

DEATH NOTICES.

IN MEMORIAM.

DALTON—In memory of our beloved father, William Dalton, who departed from this life on Dec. 25, 1912. FROM HIS CHILDREN.

BLACKMAN—Rebecca Blackman, Dec. 23, 1915, aged 80, wife of the late Henry Blackman, mother of Mrs. Frank L. Race and Edwin Blackman. Funeral Sunday at 2 p. m. from the home of her daughter, 5726 W. Ohio-st., Austin. Interment Forest Home.

BEAMISH—Richard W. Beamish, beloved son of A. S. Beamish and Ellen Beamish, 1309 Jackson-blvd. Funeral notice later.

BORGESON—Gilbert Holt Borgeson, age 20 months and 2 days, beloved son of C. E. and Harriet H. Borgeson. Funeral services from late residence, 4238 N. Paulina-st., Sunday 2 p. m.

OBITUARY.

DR. W. H. DOANE, COMPOSER OF FAMOUS HYMNS, DIES.

South Orange, N. J., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—Dr. William Howard Doane, whose hymns have accomplished as much in winning souls as the work of the most spectacular evangelist, is dead here at the home of his daughter, Mrs. George W. Doane.

Dr. Doane's name is known wherever "Safe in the Arms of Jesus" is sung, and this, his most successful hymn, is sung in every civilized country of the world. It was Dr. Doane who won Dr. Ira D. Sankey to evangelism, and it was for Moody and Sankey that he accomplished his own most effective work as an evangelist hymn writer.

Dr. Doane also wrote "Draw Me Nearer," "Rescue the Perishing," "Tell Me the Old, Old Story," "Nearer the Cross," and "Savior, More Than Life."

MONTAGUE FLAGG IS DEAD.

New York Dec. 24.—Montague Flagg, portrait painter, died of pneumonia today in a hospital here. He was born in Hartford, Conn., and was in his 70th year. His father was the late Rev. Dr. Jared B. Flagg. Mr. Flagg studied art under Cacqueson de La Crevreuse in Paris and later settled in New York. His "Portrait of My Wife" was exhibited at the National Academy of Design in December, 1909, and won the Thomas R. Proctor bonus for the best portrait in the exhibition. In recognition of his work he received a silver medal at the St. Louis exposition in 1904. Five years ago he became a National academician.

RICHARD BEAMISH STRICKEN.

Richard Beamish, bailiff in Judge Arnold Heap's Municipal court, dropped dead last night in a saloon at 1700 West Fifteenth street. He was well known around the city hall, having been connected with the Municipal court ever since its establishment, with the exception of one year. He worked in Judge Arnold's court yesterday and left the courtroom late in the afternoon. He was 41 years old, a bachelor, and lived with his parents at 1309 Jackson boulevard. He was born and educated in Chicago. He formerly was president of the West Side Irish-American club.

MRS. LOUISE PAYNE, widow of Henry G. Payne, postmaster general under the Roosevelt administration, died yesterday in Milwaukee. She was well known as a charity worker and philanthropist.

Your After Christmas Reading

All the romance and glory of "the old sailing days" is in the vivid, gripping, and artistically beautiful article, "The Tale of the Windjammer," by Richard Matthews Hallet—a man who writes what he knows and knows how to write.

A calendar for the new year—a full page in colors done by a talented artist.

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"The Black Pearl," one of the most thrilling of novels, races on toward its climax. It is the story of a beautiful woman, but a despotic one. And it is a story every woman will want to read.

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A picture in artistic sepia of the kaiser's youngest son and his fiancee. Here is an excellent chance to judge the characteristics of a youth who may some day sit on his father's throne. His is but one of the pictures of a splendid rotogravure section.

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Fashions: Louise James devotes her page to HATS. Drawings by Maude Martin Evers. A page no woman can afford to miss.

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For the children! The Teenie Weenies and Arabian Nights, Mamma's Angel Child, Bobby Make-Believe, and the Katzenjammers.

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Mae Tinee's holiday gossip of the moving picture world, accompanying a picture of a pretty film star, and a new installment of the swiftly moving movie serial, "Wrest Be the Tie That Binds."

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"A Year of the War," by Frank H. Simonds, the foremost expert of the day, the newest of The Tribune stars, and special war news by Bennett, McCutcheon, and a corp of special correspondents and photographers.

In The Sunday Tribune Tomorrow

DEATH NOTICES.

BRUEN—Bridget Bruen, nee McDonough, beloved wife of the late Patrick, and mother of the late Patrick and Thomas Bruen, sister of Mrs. Mary Crane. Funeral from 1115 W. 12th-st., Monday at 10:30 a. m., to Holy Family church, where requiem high mass will be celebrated. By autos to Mount Carmel. Member of Married Ladies' sodality.

BURGESS—David M. Burgess, Dec. 24, 1915, beloved husband of Jean Young, father of Mrs. C. G. Williams, Mrs. E. C. Schmidt, and Jean Burgess. Funeral from late residence, 23 S. Central Park-av., Sunday, Dec. 26, 2:30 p. m. Interment Forest Home. Scotland papers please copy.

BURKE—Katie Burke, Dec. 23, beloved daughter of the late James L. and Alice Burke, fond sister of William, Charles D., and Joseph M. Burke. Funeral Sunday at 9:30 a. m. from late residence, 1286 Grand-av., to St. Columbkille's church. Autos to Calvary.

CLARK—Joseph Clark, beloved husband of Margaret, nee Oliver; father of Oliver Clark. Funeral Monday at 9 a. m. from late residence, 5956 S. Racine-av., to Visitation church, where high mass will be celebrated, autos to Mount Olivet. Friends wishing seats call Yards 662.

COHEN—Sarah Cohen, Dec. 23, aged 45, beloved daughter of the late David and Rachel, sister of Jennie, Dora, Rose, Minnie, Harry, and Morris. Funeral Sunday, 10 a. m., chapel, 301 E. 51st-st., by autos to Anshe Emeth, Waldheim. Titusville and Oil City [Pa.] papers please copy.

COHN—Jacob Cohn, 62 years, 2457 Grenshaw-st., beloved husband of Fannie, nee Wurzburg; father of Ben, brother of Nathan Cohn, Denver, Colo. Funeral notice later.

CUNNINGHAM—John Cunningham, at his residence, 211 No. Western-av., Dec. 24, 1915, beloved husband of May Cunningham, nee Powers, brother of P. J. Cunningham. Member of Policemen's Benevolent Association. Funeral notice later. Elmira, N. Y., papers please copy.

CUYLER—Stephen Gilliland Cuyler, in his eighty-fourth year, brother of James B. Cuyler of Los Angeles and uncle of Carrie M. Cuyler of Chicago, Francis Kight of Washburn, Ill.; Wm. Holton, Mt. Vernon, Ind.; Frank Holton, Plymouth, Ill.; and Mrs. Minnie Bailey. Funeral services at chapel, 912 Madison-st., Sunday, Dec. 26, at 4 p. m.

DALY—William J. Daly, Dec. 23, at Detroit, Mich., brother of Robb, Nelly, Thomas, James, Mrs. Ceany, and the late Mrs. McFarland. Funeral Monday, Dec. 27, 9:30 a. m., from chapel, 43d and Grand-blvd. to St. Elizabeth church, where high mass will be celebrated. Interment at Calvary cemetery by autos.

DALY—Thomas Daly, Dec. 23, at St. Luke's hospital, brother of William and the late Miachel Daly. Funeral Monday, Dec. 27, at 9:30 a. m., from chapel, 43d and Grand-blvd., to St. Elizabeth church, where high mass will be celebrated. Interment at Calvary cemetery by autos.

DAVIS—Henry Davis, 49 years old, beloved husband of Betty, fond father of Philip R., Emanuel H., Ella, Anna, Ben, and Ethel, member of Jefferson St. Business Men's association, Chicago Liquor Dealers' Protective association, past president of Jehudah Halevy lodge No. 8, I. W. S. O.; Pride of Chicago lodge No. 220, O. B. A.; King Joseph lodge No. 168, P. O. W.; president Illinois lodge No. 280, I. O. B. A.; commander of New Century lodge No. 68, O. K. O. J. Funeral Sunday, Dec. 26, 10 a. m. from late residence, 3707 W. Grand-av., to Cong. Anshe Luknik, thence by autos to Waldheim. For seats call Seeley 174.

DEISELHARDT—Hattie Deiselhardt, beloved wife of Charles Deiselhardt, suddenly. Remains at Frank Mueller's chapel, 1225 N. Ashland-av., near Milwaukee-av.

DUNN—Ella Frances Dunn, Dec. 25, 1915, wife of the late William H. Dunn and beloved mother of Keith E. Dunn. Funeral services Sunday, Dec. 26, 1:30 p. m. at chapel, 316 W. 63d-st. Interment at Forest Home.

FARRELL—James Farrell, aged 81 years. Funeral Monday. Burial at Rosehill cemetery.

FLATTERY—William J. Flattery, beloved son of Agnes Cartau Flattery and the late William J. Flattery, fond brother of Edmund, Joseph, and Frank. Funeral Monday, Dec. 27, 1915, at 7:30 a. m. from his late residence, 118 N. Lotus-av., Austin, to St. Catherine's church, where requiem high mass will be celebrated; thence by autos to La Salle-st. depot; burial at South Bend, Ind. South Bend papers please copy.

FRERICKS—Nellie Frericks, nee Benton, beloved wife of Edward Frericks and mother of Margaret McGovern, sister of Eva Benton. Funeral Monday at 9 a. m. from late residence, 1652 Walnut-st., to St. Columbkill's church, where high mass will be celebrated. By autos to Mount Carmel. For seats call Seeley 2954.

GIBSON—Martha Marie Gibson, formerly of 817 Townsend-st., Dec. 23, age 71 years, beloved wife of George Gibson, mother of Mrs. M. L. Opheim, Arthur F. Gibson, Mrs. O. H. Isaacson. Funeral Sunday, 2:30 p. m., from late residence, 4701 N. Washtenaw-av. Interment at Graceland. Automobiles.

GREENE—Funeral services of the late G. P. Greene of Santa Fe, Isle of Pines, W. I., will be held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Flinn, 240 E. Park-av., Highland Park, Ill., Monday, Dec. 27, at 2 p. m.

GROSSBERG—Pesha Grossberg, in her seventy-sixth year, beloved mother of Sophie Bulch, Annie Wartelsky, Jacob G. Grossberg, Sallie Rosenthal, Joshua Grossberg, Mary Morrison, Harry Grossberg, Ida Roth, and Rose Goldstein. Funeral from 4802 Vincennes-av. Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. Please omit flowers.

HAFNER—John A. Hafner, husband of Caroline, nee Kagadein, fond father of Joseph, John, and Albert; father-in-law of Alma; born Dec. 11, 1863, died Dec. 23, 1915. Funeral notice later.

HANE—Officer Otto L. Hane, Dec. 24, aged 52 years, beloved husband of Eva C. Hane, father of Mrs. J. A. Green, Sydney, Howard, William, and Helen Hane. Funeral Tuesday, 2 p. m., from chapel, 3176 N. Clark-st., near Belmont-av.

HANNAHAN—Michael E. Hannahan, Dec. 22, 1915, at his residence, 824 W. 42d-st., beloved husband of Sarah, nee Driesbach, father of James and Edward, brother of John J., Patrick H., and James G. Member of local No. 464, International Union of Steam and Operating Engineers, and Gladstone lodge, No. 535, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen. Funeral Saturday at 11:30 a. m. sharp to St. Cecelia's church, thence by autos to Mount Olivet.

HAYES—Mary Ellen Hayes, 5709 Laflin-st., beloved daughter of Anna and the late Timothy, fond sister of James, John, Timothy, Anna, Daniel, and Thomas Hayes. Funeral Sunday at 9 a. m. to St. Basil's church, thence by autos to Mount Olivet. Those wishing seats call Yards 617.

HERR—Catherine Herr, beloved wife of the late August W. Herr and fond and devoted mother of Edward H. Herr, George J., Frederick, and Charles, A. L. and William A., Emma L. and William T. Smith, and grandmother of Ethel E. and George P. Herr. Funeral services Saturday, Dec. 25, at 3 p. m. from late residence, 3333 Indiana-av., to Oakwoods cemetery by autos.

HILL—Briand F. Hill, Dec. 10, 1915, at Atlantic City, N. J. Member of Chicago lodge No. 4, B. P. O. Elks.

HOWE—Dexter M. Howe, beloved husband of Anna, nee Ohnesorge; son of Edward M. and Ida Howe, sister of Mrs. Alice Johnson. Funeral Tuesday at 1 p. m. from late residence, 3204 Fulton-st., to Calvary Episcopal church, autos to Rosehill.

JOHNSTONE—William Thomas Johnstone, Dec. 24, suddenly, at Alexian Brothers' hospital, beloved husband of the late Elizabeth Johnstone, nee Snyder, and fond father of Marjorie. Funeral Sunday, Dec. 26, 1915, at 1:30 p. m., from chapel, 2157 Irving Park-blvd.; by autos to Montrose cemetery. Member of Royal Arcanum council No. 1662. Toronto, Canada, papers please copy.

JORDAN—William F. Jordan, suddenly, Dec. 23. Funeral from his late residence, 2514 Washington-blvd., Saturday, Dec. 25, at 1:30 p. m., to St. Malachy's church. Autos to Calvary.

JENKINS—Abraham Jenkins, of Stockton New Castle, New South Wales, Australia, beloved husband of Elizabeth, uncle of John E. Chubb, Dec. 23. Funeral Sunday, 1 p. m., from chapel, 4227 Cottage Grove-av., to Mount Hope.

KENNEDY—Dec. 24, at 4043 Wallace-st., Mary, nee Quinn, beloved wife of the late Cornelius Kennedy, native of New Castle West, County Limerick, Ireland. Funeral Monday at 9 a. m. to St. Gabriel's church, where high mass will be celebrated, thence by autos to Mount Olivet. Member of St. Columbine's court No. 96, W. C. O. F. For seats call Yards 703.

LEHMANN—Marie Lehmann, 66 years, beloved mother of Clara and Edward Lehmann, Dec. 20. Services private from her late residence, 4305 Wentworth-av., Sunday, 1:30 p. m., thence to Wentworth Ave. M. E. church, 3829 Wentworth-av., 2 p. m., to Oakwoods by auto.

LOONEY—Florence E. Looney, beloved daughter of the late William and Ethel Looney, nee Tully, granddaughter of Mrs. J. B. Tully. Funeral Sunday at 9 a. m. from late residence, 3303 S Ashland-av., to Our Lady of Good Counsel church, by autos to Calvary. For seats call Yards 867.

LOY—John N. Loy, on Dec. 24, of pneumonia, beloved husband of Amelia Lewis Loy and father of Mayale and Pearl Loy. Services at late residence, 215 N. Parkside-av., Austin, Sunday, Dec. 26, at 2:30 p. m.

LYONS—Martin Lyons, 1513 N. California-av., Dec. 24, suddenly, son of Joseph M. and Anna. Funeral private. New York papers please copy.

MARQUARDT—B. Theodore Marquardt, Dec. 23, 1915, aged 59 years, beloved husband of Hermina and fond father of Mrs. Minnie Lambrecht, Mrs. Anna Minkley, Clara and Ella Marquardt, father-in-law of Charles Lambrecht and Bruno Minkley, and grandfather of Carl Lambrecht. Funeral from his late home, 2335 W. 35th-st., to St. Philip's church, 38th and Seeley-av., Sunday, Dec. 26, 1:30 p. m. Member of Carnation lodge, I. O. O. F., and Apollo tent, K. O. T. M. Burial Concordia, by autos.

McDERMOTT—Dec. 23, Peter J. McDermott, son of the late Thomas and Anna McDermott and brother of Mrs. Rose Mackie and Mrs. D. L. Edwards. Funeral Sunday at 9 a. m. from 6325 S. Albany-av., to St. Rita's church, thence by autos to Mount Olivet. For seats call Yards 703.

McGUIRE—Officer Peter E. McGuire, formerly of 2028 Leclaire-av., Dec. 24, beloved husband of Mary McGuire, nee Moran, father of Peter E. McGuire, brother of Ellen McGuire, Mrs. A. C. Dolan, Wm. S. McGuire, Edward S. McGuire, and Thomas McGuire. Funeral Monday, Dec. 27, from his late residence, 3443 W. Adams-st., at 10 o'clock a. m., to St. Genevieve's church, 2017 Lavergne-av., by automobiles to Union depot, Canal and Adams-sts., thence by special train on Chicago and Alton railroad, to Sag Bridge cemetery. Please omit flowers.

McMULLEN—Louisa McMullen, nee Harper, beloved wife of James J. McMullen, mother of Helen, Luella, and Bernice, fond daughter of Mrs. E. Harper Wood and the late Edmond Harper, sister of William, Edward, John, Fred, Robert, and Anthony Harper, Mrs. James Kurran, and Mrs. J. Oliver Johnson. Funeral Sunday, Dec. 26, at 9 a. m. from her late residence, 1832 W. 23d-st., to St. Pius' church. Autos to Calvary.

MEYERS—Herman L. Meyers, lieutenant truck 5, C. F. D., beloved brother of Mrs. Emma Schunneman, Mrs. Jennie Graham, and George Meyers. Funeral Sunday, 2 p. m., from chapel, 305 S. Kedzie-av.; autos to Wunders. Member of Firemen's Mutual Aid association.

MORGAN—Dr. George E. Morgan, Dec. 23, 1915, at his residence, 45 N. Austin-av. Son of the late F. R. and Hananh A. Morgan, nee Long, brother of Sister Helen of Detroit, Mich., and Hiram A. Morgan of New York and the late William J. Morgan. Funeral Sunday morning to St. Catherine's church. Autos to Calvary.

NICOLAI—Marie Nicolai [nee Boening], beloved wife of William, mother of Minnie, George, Ida Horn, and Clara Hopkins, Dec. 23. Funeral Sunday 1 p. m. from late residence, 521 W. 115th-st., to Waldheim, by automobiles.

NORTHGRAVES—Julian Courtney Northgraves, Dec. 24, widow of the late Richard J. Northgraves and beloved mother of Anna Northgraves. Funeral service Monday, Dec. 27, 10 a. m., at Holy Name cathedral. Interment Albany, N. Y.

NOYES—Mrs. L. S. Noyes, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. William Gilliland, 329 S. Leavitt-st., Dec. 24, 1915, beloved mother of Mrs. Addie Fuller, Mrs. William Gilliland, and the late Charles N. Noyes, only sister of the late C. N. and A. H. Holden. Funeral from the residence of her daughter, 329 S. Leavitt-st., Sunday, Dec. 26, at 3 p. m. Interment at Rosehill.

OLSON—Mrs. Sophia Olson, Dec. 23, 1915, wife of the late Peter Olson, mother of Annie Knudtson and the late Andrew Olson. Funeral notice later.

OWEN—Johanna Owen, Dec. 24, aged 70 years, wife of B. F. Owen, mother of Mrs. Rose Toomey, Louis, Coleman, Officer Frank B. Owen, and Robert D. Owen. Funeral Sunday, 2 p. m., from the home of her son, Louis Coleman, 1901 W. Erie-st.; burial Forest Home.

POWERS—Angie E. Powers, beloved wife of O. M. Powers, mother of Eva A. and Edwin B., Dec. 22 at 1 p. m. Funeral Sunday at 2:30 from her late residence, 1360 E. 56th-st., to Oakwoods. Quincy, Ill., papers please copy.

QUINLAN—Mary Quinlan, nee Shields, at chapel, 2935 Madison-st., beloved wife of William J., fond mother of John W., Frank J., Rev. Brother Gabriel, Robert P., and Mary Agnes Quinlan. Notice of funeral later.

RAVENS—Miss Flora Ravens, at her residence, Dec. 24. Funeral private.

RAE—Donald A. Rae, husband of Marion, at 325 S. Hoyne-av., aged 60 years, Dec. 24, 7 p. m. Funeral services Sunday, 2 p. m., from the late residence; thence by automobiles to Woodlawn cemetery.

READ—Mary A. Read, Dec. 24, age 90 years. Surviving are four sons and three daughters, Emery B. Read, Ottawa, Ont.; Mrs. Sarah Williams, Chicago; Mrs. R. H. Williams of Regina, Sask.; R. F. Read, Vandalia, Mo.; C. O. Read of Hamilton, Ont.; B. C. Read and Bertha Read of Chicago. Funeral Sunday, Dec. 26, at 1:30 p. m., from funeral chapel, 186 S. Western-av. Interment at Forest Home.

REINKE—John Reinke, beloved father of Anna Goldamith and Martha Abel, Friday, Dec. 24. Funeral Monday at 2 p. m. at late residence, 1055 N. Monticello-av., to Concordia cemetery with autos.

ROBINSON—Ithamer A. Robinson, husband of Rachel J., and father of Mrs. Jessie R. Stone and Mrs. Bessie A. Dickey. Services from late residence, 221 N. Waller-av., Sunday at 9 a. m. Interment at De Kalb, Ill.

RUSSELL—Carrie A. Russell, Dec. 24, beloved wife of Archie Russell, daughter of the late John A. and Hannah Free, at residence, 38 N. Waller-av., Austin. Notice of funeral later.

SANDEL—Bessie Price Sandel, on Dec. 24, 1915, wife of William D. Sandel, mother of William, Elizabeth, and Baby Sandel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Price, sister of William H. Price Jr., at her home, 812 N. Grove-av., Oak Park. Funeral notice later. Harrisburg and Reading, Pa., papers please copy.

SHARP—Henrietta Sharp, beloved wife of Thomas H. Sharp, and sister of Mrs. Bettie Nolan. Funeral on Sunday at 1:30 p. m. from her late residence, 2118 Washington-blvd., by autos to Forest Home.

SHIRLING—George H. Shirling, at San Antonio, Tex., Dec. 20, beloved husband of Julia Shirling and father of George A. Funeral Saturday, Dec. 25, at 2 p. m. from chapel, 3419 N. Clark-st.; autos to Graceland. Masonic services will be conducted by the Mystic Star lodge No. 758, A. F. & A. M.

SMITH—Thomas Smith, Dec. 23, beloved husband of Louise Smith. Funeral Sunday at 10 a. m., from chapel, 43d-st. and Grand-blvd., to St. Elizabeth church, thence by autos to Mt. Olivet.

STUEHLER—Rose Stuehler, beloved daughter of Minnie and the late Joseph Stuehler, beloved sister of Anna and the late Emil Stuehler. Funeral Sunday, Dec. 26, at 1:30 p. m., from late residence, 1558 N. Springfield-av., to the Evangelical Lutheran Bethel church, Springfield-av. and Hirsch-st., thence by carriages to Waldheim cemetery.

TULLY—William C. Tully, beloved husband of Mary, father of Agnes, son of Catherine and the late John Tully, brother of Lily, Mrs. Austin McGonagle, and Mrs. W. A. Stevens. Funeral Monday, Dec. 27, from 507 W. Garfield-blvd.; high mass at St. Anne's church at 9:30 a. m., by autos to Mount Olivet. For autos or seats call Yards 124.

URCHELL—Minnie Urchell, beloved daughter of Sarah and Fred Urchell, sister of Mathew, John, Celeste, and Roocie at her residence, 8021 Parnell-av. Funeral Sunday, Dec. 26, at 1:30 p. m. to St. Leo's church; autos to Mount Olivet.

WELCH—Katherine M. Welch, beloved wife of the late William J. Welch, fond mother of Harold W. and Marie C. Welch, sister of Mrs. J. McHugh, Mrs. Josephine Cahill, Mrs. George Barnes, and John O'Brien. Funeral Monday, Dec. 27, at 9 a. m., from late residence, 520 N. Albany-av., to St. Matthew's church. Autos to Mount Carmel. Member of Woodford Court No. 23, W. C. O. F. Members of Woodford Court will meet Sunday evening at 8 o'clock at residence of deceased sister to arrange for funeral.

WHITE—Ed White, beloved husband of Delia and fond father of Ed A., Arthur A., and the late William A. and the late May V. White. Funeral Sunday at 10 a. m. from late residence, 2657 Washington-blvd., to St. Mathew's church, by autos to Mount Carmel. For seats phone Seeley 2954.

WORMALD—Bertha Wormald, beloved wife of John A. Wormald, mother of Clara, Adrian, and Lola Wormald, daughter of Capt. Louis and Margaret Olson, at residence, 2826 Palmer-st. Funeral notice later.

WRIGHT—Margaret J. Wright, nee Farmer, beloved wife of Charles F. Wright of Hollywood, Ill. Funeral notice later.

ZEESE—Ottelie Zeese, Dec. 22, 1915. Funeral Sunday, 2 p. m., chapel, 3907 Lincoln-av., Graceland.

ZELTNER—John E. Zeltner, Dec. 24, 1915, aged 48 years, husband of Ida R. Zeltner. Services at late residence, 4753 Lake Park-av., on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Burial at Cincinnati, O.

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NEW YORK BANKS INCREASE LOANS; DEPOSITS GO UP

First Item Shows a Gain of More than $21,500,000; Second, $10,000,000.

The New York bank statement showed a gain of more than $21,500,000 in loans and an increase in deposits of about $10,000,000. Transactions in Wall street have grown so much larger than two years ago that the figures noted lack the significance they would have had at this time in 1914.

About all that can be said is that the loan expansion exceeded the deposit gain. The excess reserve, because of the increase in deposits, has gradually worked lower until now it stands at $145,892,440. The figures follow:

ACTUAL STATEMENT.

	Friday, Dec. 24, 1915.	Increase.
Loans	$3,211,857,000	$21,587,000
Net demand depos.	3,255,610,000	7,877,000
Net time depos.	149,546,000	2,234,000
Circulation	35,175,000	49,000
Res. own vaults	485,263,000	*17,887,000
Res. fed. res. banks	162,506,000	1,245,000
Res. other depos.	59,697,000	4,456,000
Aggregate resv.	707,466,000	*12,186,000
Reserve required	561,578,560	*799,860
Surplus	145,892,440	*12,965,860

Of reserve in vaults $417,070,000 is specie.

*Decrease.

Curb Market Strong.

In the unlisted securities department, American Chicle common sold at 85. The stock is in good demand at 83, offered at 85. American Fork and Hoe common changed hands at 112. The preferred at 116. American Hominy common is in strong demand at 38 and the preferred at 75. Avery company common is strong at 67 to 69. The preferred sold at 102, ex-dividend of 1¾ per cent. Butler Brothers has shown considerable strength with sales from 340 to 350.

Moline Plow preferred is steady at 95 bid; stock was traded in at 96. Consumers company common sold at 24 and the preferred at 79. On the announcement of a 100 per cent stock dividend, Rea Motor Car sold at 67, an advance of ten points.

Kellogg Switchboard Up.

Kellogg Switchboard and Supply had a sharp advance to 410, on the declaration of 18 62-100 per cent stock dividend. The market closed 405 to 410. Inland Steel was a little easier, with stock offered for sale at 390, 385 being bid. Great Lakes Dredge and Dock was in good demand at 99 with sales at that price, closing 99 bid, 100 asked. There was some inquiry for Burroughs Adding Machine at 330. Oxweld Acetylene is in demand at 117 to 120.

The general public utilities market has been quiet. United Light and Railways common is in fair demand, advancing from 45 to 46½ on comparatively little trading. Several sales were made in the preferred between 72½ and 74, ex-dividend. American Public Utilities common was wanted at 40½ and the preferred at 72. Middle West Utilities common sold at 39½, the preferred 77.

Western Pacific Reorganization.

The committee in charge of the affairs of the Western Pacific Railroad company has made public the details of its plan of reorganization as approved by banking interests concerned.

Holders of the present issue of $50,000,000 first mortgage bonds will take over the company, and the holders of existing common stock, the creditors of the company, and the second mortgage bondholders will receive nothing. Practically the only creditor of the company is the Denver and Rio Grande railway. Also it holds all the second mortgage bonds. The Western Pacific's total indebtedness to the Denver and Rio Grande, which will be wiped out under the reorganization plan, amounts to $55,500,000.

It is proposed that all the property of the Western Pacific shall be transferred to a California corporation, which shall be an operating company capitalized at $75,000,000, divided into $27,500,000 preferred and $47,500,000 common stock. This stock is to be transferred to a second holding corporation, capitalized on the same basis.

The banking syndicate which has underwritten the reorganization is composed of the Equitable Trust company of New York, E. H. Rollins & Sons, Blair & Co., and William Salomon & Co. The banks will receive one-half of one per cent as an underwriting fee.

Chevrolet Motor Plans.

It is announced that the plan for the acquisition of a controlling interest by the Chevrolet Motor company in the General Motors company will involve no General Motors preferred stock.

It had been originally intended to exchange one share of Chevrolet common for one share of General Motors preferred, but this point has been abandoned. Under the proposal shortly to be placed before the board of directors of the Chevrolet company between 110,000 and 120,000 shares of General Motors common will be offered by a syndicate of individuals in exchange for Chevrolet stock at the ratio of 1 to 5.

Authorization by the Chevrolet stockholders on Thursday of an increase in the stock from $20,000,000 to $80,000,000 provides 600,000 additional shares at the ratio of 5 to 1. This would arrange for the acquisition of 120,000 shares of General Motors common. No provision is made at this time for a general offer of exchange to all General Motors stockholders. The stock to be acquired by the Chevrolet company at present at least includes merely the shares owned by the Durant interests, which represent a control.

Clearings Show Gain.

Bank clearings for the week ended Saturday, Dec. 25, issued yesterday because of the Christmas holiday, were $297,899,977, an increase of $48,822,119, or 19.6 per cent, as compared with the same week last year. The figures:

Date.	Clearings.	Balances.
Monday	$61,581,043.94	$6,716,674.17
Tuesday	65,789,717.81	5,153,817.63
Wednesday	56,382,585.52	3,792,976.30
Thursday	55,260,174.20	3,760,442.28
Friday	58,886,456.40	3,949,248.47
T'ls for week	$297,899,977.87	$23,398,162.85
Cor. week last yr.	249,077,858.12	15,260,341.18

Money and Exchange.

Money rates in Chicago steady at 3½@4 per cent on collateral, 3@4 per cent on commercial paper, and 4@4½ per cent over the counter. New York exchange sold at 25c and 15c discount. Chicago bank clearings were $58,886,456.

Chicago Securities.

Union Carbide was a feature of the trading on the local exchange. The market opened briskly and the price showed an advancing tendency until near the close, when quotations ran off about a point. There is indefinite talk of a melon in the shares.

Series 1 and series 2 certificates of the Chicago Railways company were firm. The former was up 2 points at 80. Peoples Gas was fractionally lower at 110, and Stewart-Warner common sold off 1 point.

Bank Share Quotations.

F. M. Zeller & Co. have prepared the following quotations:

STATE BANKS.

	Bid.	Ask.	Rate.	Book value.
Ætna State	110	115	..	113
American State	195	200	6	142
Austin Ave. Trust & Sav.	..	100	4	113
Austin State	200	..	8	123
Capital State Savings	107	112	..	113
Central Mfg. District	154	160	..	126
Central Trust Co.	219	225	10	132
Chicago City	260	270	12&1	200
Chicago Savings	140	145	6	129
Cit. State of Lake View	120	125	..	115
Citizens Trust & Sav.	205	..	12	155
Depositors State Sav.	120	125	..	129
Drexel State	190	200	6	146
Drovers Trust & Sav.	300	..	12	204
Englewood State	160	170	8	122
Franklin Trust & Sav.	150	160	5	136
Garfield Park State Sav.	130	135	4	123
Greenebaum Sons	250	260	10	133
Guarantee Trust & Sav.	135	..	8	138
Halsted Street State	127	130	6	118
Harris Trust & Sav.	500	..	12&5	302
Home Bank & Trust Co.	180	190	8	135
Hyde Park State	130	145	5	132
Illinois Trust & Savings	485	495	16&4	314
Kaspar State	290	300	10&5	173
Kenwood Trust & Sav.	180	188	7&3	178
Lake and State Savings	117	122	..	121
Lake View Trust	175	185	6	136
Lake View State	105	112	5	108
Lawndale State	270	274	8	186
Liberty Trust & Sav.	140	145	..	126
Lincoln State	90	100	4	111
Lincoln Trust & Sav.	110	117	6	116
Logan Sq. Trust & Sav.	90	100	..	112
Madison & Kedzie State	115	125	..	127
Market Trust & Sav.	..	100	..	118
Mechanics & Traders	130	135	4	135
Mercantile Trust	150	155	..	127
Merchants Loan & Trust	435	445	16	360
Michigan Ave. Trust Co.	105	115	5	138
Mid-City Trust & Sav.	180	195	8	133
North Ave. State	105	115	7	133
North Side State	130	135	6	108
Northern Trust Co.	264	270	8	237
Northwest State	150	160	7	126
Northwestern Trust	265	270	10	152
Oak Park Trust	250	..	12&1	161
Ogden Avenue State	..	100	..	104
Peoples Stocky'ds State	285	..	10&2	147
Peoples Trust & Sav.	280	285	10&2	157
Pioneer State	105	110	4	119
Pullman Trust	200	..	10&3	212
Schiff & Co. State	200	..	12	137
Security bank	240	250	8	224
Sheridan Trust & Sav.	160	170	6	130
South Chicago Savings	215	225	8&2	159
South Side State	140	150	7	120
Southwest Merch. State	120	125	4	128
Southwest Trust & Sav.	125	130	6	116
Standard Trust & Sav.	158	160	6	146
State Bank of Chicago	400	405	16	322
State Bank of Evanston	305	..	12	287
Stockmens Trust & Sav.	140	150	6	139
Stockyards Savings	350	..	16&2	218
Suburban Trust & Sav.	103	108	5	126
Union Bank of Chicago	145	155	6	132
Union Trust Co.	300	..	8&1	249
United State bank	112	120	..	119
W. Englewood-Ashland	150	160	8	122
West Side Trust & Sav.	300	350	12	138
West Town State	115	118	..	123
Woodlawn Trust & Sav.	200	220	10	175

Chicago Reserve Bank.

The statement of condition of the federal reserve bank of Chicago at the close of business on Thursday, Dec. 23, 1915, follows:

RESOURCES.

Gold coin and gold certificates	$35,914,347
Gold settlement fund	1,698,000
Legal tender notes [silver certificates, subsidiary coin]	1,242,942
Total cash reserve	38,855,289
Bills discounted—Members	3,387,778
Bills discounted—Bought	1,918,787
United States government bonds	4,200,000
Investments	1,556,051
Total loans, investments, etc.	11,062,617
Due from federal reserve banks, net	8,229,067
Federal reserve notes, net	1,694,240
Furniture and fixtures	26,210
Cost of federal reserve notes	62,134
Expense	115,003
All other resources	158,125
Total resources	$60,197,688

LIABILITIES.

Member banks' reserves	$53,377,027
Capital paid in	6,644,600
Discount, interest, etc., received	176,061
Total liabilities	$60,197,688

Sales on the Exchange.

Sales and the range of prices on the Chicago stock exchange yesterday were:

	Shares.	High.	Low.	Close Dec. 24.	Close Dec. 23.
Amer. Shipbldg.	25	36⅛	36⅛	36⅛	35¼
Chi. Pneu. Tool	175	78	77½	77½	78½
Chi. Rys. series 1	50	80	80	80	78
Chi. Rys. ser. 2	25	19	19	19	19
Chi. Rys. ser. 4	12	1½	1½	1½	1½
Chi. T. & Trust	10	230	230	230	235
Com. Edison	34	143½	143⅛	143⅛	143¼
Diamond Match	40	105	104⅛	104⅛	105
Illinois Brick	750	85	84⅛	85	84½
K. C. R. L. p. ctf.	30	24⅞	24⅞	24⅞	25
M. Ward pfd.	132	112⅛	112⅛	112⅛	112⅛
Peoples Gas	33	110⅛	110	110	110⅛
Quaker Oats	58	309	309	309	308
Quaker Oats pfd	50	108	107⅛	107⅛	108
Sears-Roebuck	120	185	184½	185	183⅞
Stewart War. com.	1,150	89⅞	88⅛	88⅛	89½
Swift & Co.	78	126⅛	126⅛	126⅛	126
Union Carbide	714	180⅛	177	178	178

BONDS.

$3,000 Chi. Pneu. Tool 5s	98
700 Chi. Rys. ad. inc. 4s	23
10,000 Chi. Rys. 1st 5s	97½
1,000 Chi. Rys. 1st 5s	97⅛
2,000 Consumers' Gas 5s	101½
2,000 Met. El. 1st 4s	72½

NEWS OF THE FINANCIAL WORLD.

Steel manufacturers are reported agreed that this is the biggest holiday period in the history of the iron and steel industry. The demand for steel shows no falling off and the steel companies are compelled to refuse new business on account of sold up conditions. Orders for steel for delivery in the last half of next year are said to be numerous, indicating full operations for 1916. Based on this condition, increased disbursements to shareholders in steel companies are expected.

Consolidation of Mexican and California oil properties by the Doheny and allied interests, as now being worked out, will make the California Petroleum corporation a highly important factor, giving its preferred stock a desirable position. Financial and other arrangements have been made for further extensive developments of the company's oil lands and it is thought production will be largely increased. The present output is about 15,000 barrels a day.

Sales of United Cigar Stores company in its stores in the Wall street district for the first nineteen days of December showed an increase of 20 per cent over the corresponding period last year. Sales in the current week, compared with last year, represent an increase of 30 per cent. Wall street business in cigars is the greatest in the history of the company.

According to Wall street, the American Smelting company will place the common stock on a 6 or 7 per cent basis at a meeting to be held early in February.

Stockholders of the Pierce Oil corporation ratified the proposed increase of $3,000,000 in the capital stock. The new shares are to provide for conversion of $2,000,000 notes recently sold by the company, the proceeds of which are to be devoted to plant extensions and betterments.

There was a rumor in New York that J. P. Morgan & Co. have taken over a large block of United States Steel common from London. Within the last month it is estimated over $120,000,000 of foreign held American securities have been absorbed by the New York market.

It is announced that a prominent ordnance company has closed a contract with the French government for about $30,000,000 of 12 inch shells. It is declared the French government next week will be in the market for a much larger order than the one mentioned.

Trading in Standard Oil issues was rather quiet with little change in quotations. Oil people are predicting a revival of bullish activity after the turn of the year, when they say prices will really begin to discount the prosperity of oil companies in general.

A large copper agency advanced the price of electrolytic copper to 21¼ cents. Sales have been made for foreign account on the basis of 21½ cents cash, New York. This price, after figuring off freight and insurance, is equivalent to about 20.7 cents, thirty days.

The zinc stocks were among the strong features of the market. American Zinc advanced over two points to a level above 71, while Butte and Superior advanced 3⅝, rising to 70⅝. The demand for zinc is large and prices are advancing.

The New York stock exchange has listed $3,533,000 Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing convertible sinking fund 5 per cent bonds of 1915, due 1931.

U. S. TREASURY STATEMENT.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 24.—The following is a statement of the condition of the United States treasury on Dec. 23:

Income to date this year	$326,406,427
Income to date last year	313,805,456
Increase	$12,600,971
Outgo over income this year	49,936,063
Outgo over income last year	68,034,316
Decrease	$18,098,253
Balance general fund	108,205,716
Balance previous day	107,492,343
Increase	$713,373

BAROMETER OF THE MARKET

Average of Closing Prices of Twenty Leading New York Stocks.

Friday, December 24	92.43
Thursday, Dec. 23	92.34
Net gain for the day	.09
Saturday, Dec. 18	91.22
Net gain for the week	1.21
Friday, Dec. 25, 1914	71.51
Last high point, Oct. 3	107.78
Fell June 1, 1913, to	85.24
Closed Dec. 31, 1913	90.23
Rallied Jan. 23, 1914, to	95.34
Fell July 30 [stock exchange closed] to	77.67
Exchange reopened Dec. 12 and average rose Dec. 14 to	82.42
Closed Dec. 31, 1914	78.64
Rallied Jan. 21, 1915, to	83.49
Rallied April 20 to	89.93
Fell May 10 to	81.93
Rallied Aug. 6 to	87.47

	Highest.	Lowest.
1913	94.56, Jan. 2	85.24, June 11
1912	107.78, Oct. 3	91.41, Feb. 5
1911	101.76, June 14	86.29, Sept. 17
1910	111.12, Jan. 4	86.32, July 26
1909	112.76, Aug. 14	93.24, Feb. 23

The twenty stocks are: Anaconda Copper, American Car and Foundry, American Smelting, American Telephone, Atchison, Baltimore and Ohio, Brooklyn Rapid Transit, Chesapeake and Ohio, Erie, Great Northern preferred, New York Central, Northern Pacific, Pennsylvania, Reading, Southern Pacific, Southern Railway, St. Paul, American Sugar, Union Pacific, and United States Steel.

BOSTON CURB QUOTATIONS.

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Alvara	1¼	1½	Larose	60c	61c
B. S. Gas	24	26	Majestic	1⅛	1½
Bingham	7	8	Mines of A.	3½	4
Begole	80c	80½c	McK'y Dar.	55c	62c
Bost. Ely	50	58	Mex. Metals	42c	43c
Bohemia	2⅜	2½	New Baltic	3	3¼
Butte & L.	38	40	Nev. Doug.	72c	74c
Calaveras	3¼	3½	Ohio Cop.	20c	26c
Cons. Ariz.	1⅜	1½	S. W. Miami	90	100
Cortez	55	60	Utah Met.	10¼	10⅜
Chief Cons.	1⅛	1⅛	Ton. Mng.	6⅞	7⅛
Cr. Reserve	60	69	New Cornelia	9¼	9½
Eag. & B.B.	1⅜	1½	Oneco	1⅛	1¼
Davis Daly	2⅞	3½	Stew. Mng.	60c	65c
G'df'd Cons	1⅛	1⅛	Verde	5⅜	5½
First N. Cop.	8⅝	9	Ton. Belmont	4½	4⅝
Houghton	2¼	3½	Yukon	2⅝	3

IN FOREIGN STOCK MARKETS.

LONDON, Dec. 24.—The stock exchange and Liverpool cotton market are closed until Tuesday. Other exchanges will be closed tomorrow and Monday. Bar silver, 25⅜d per ounce. Money, 4@4¼ per cent. Discount rates: Short bills and three months, 5¼ per cent.

PARIS, Dec. 24.—Trading was quiet, but prices were firm on the bourse today. Rentes, 63f 75c. Exchange on London, 27f 70c.

COFFEE AND SUGAR.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—The market for coffee futures was quiet today with trading of a pre-holiday character, but prices were steady in sympathy with steadiness in Brazil and on some scattered covering. The opening was unchanged to 4 points higher and the market closed at a net advance of 1@5 points, with May selling around 6.78c and September 6.87c. Sales were 3,500 bags. December, 6.45c; January, 6.49c; February, 6.55c; March, 6.62c; April, 6.65c; May, 6.69c; June, 6.74c; July, 6.79c; August, 6.83c; September, 6.87c; October, 6.92c; November, 6.96c. Spot coffee quiet; Rio 7s, 7⅝c; Santos 4s, 9c. Cost and freight offers were unchanged. The official cables reported no change in the Brazilian markets. Brazilian port receipts, 67,000 bags; Jundiahy, 49,000. Rio cleared 3,000 bags for New Orleans. SUGAR—Raw: 8,000 bags Cubas, February shipment, sold late at 3¼c, cost and freight, equal to 4.27c for centrifugal; prompt Cubas easier, being offered at 3⅜c cost and freight, equal to 4.77c for centrifugal, with no takers. Closing prices follow: Centrifugal, 4.52@4.77c; molasses, 3.75@4.00c, and Cubas cost and freight, 3⅜c. Refined: Quiet and unchanged at 5.95c for fine granulated. Futures: December closed at 3.70c; January, 3.56@3.55c, closing 3.55c; May, 3.40@3.38c, closing 3.37c.

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—SUGAR—The following prices are quoted by wholesale dealers per 100 lbs: Cut loaf, H. & E., $7.20; powdered, standard, $6.42; standard, cane, $6.20; beet granulated, $5.90; H. & E. granulated, $6.35; extra C., $6.05; canary, $5.80.

COTTON.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Dec. 24.—COTTON—Futures:

	High.	Low.	Closing bid.
January	11.77	11.67	11.72
March	12.12	12.03	12.10
May	12.41	12.32	12.37
July	12.58	12.49	12.55
October	12.25	12.14	12.18

Spot, dull, unchanged. Sales, 15 bales; to arrive, 585 bales. Middling, 11.69c; strict good middling, 12.50c.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—COTTON—Futures:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Previous close.
December	11.80	11.99	11.85	11.96	11.84
January	11.87	11.90	11.86	11.95	11.85
March	12.13	12.26	12.12	12.25	12.14
May	12.40	12.50	12.40	12.49	12.39
July	12.54	12.66	12.54	12.63	12.54
October	12.23	12.35	12.23	12.30	12.25

Spot quiet; middling uplands, 12.15c; sales, none.

WOOL.

BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 24.—WOOL—Ohio and Pennsylvania fleeces: Delaine washed, 35½c; half blood combing, 34@35c; three-eighths blood combing, 38c; delaine, unwashed, 30@31c. Michigan and New York fleeces: Fine unwashed, 25c; delaine unwashed, 28@30c; half blood, unwashed, 32@33c; three-eighths blood, unwashed, 37@38c. Wisconsin and Missouri: One-fourth blood, 36@37c; three-eighths blood, 37@37½c; half blood, 31@33c. Kentucky and similar: Half blood, unwashed, 35@36c; three-eighths blood, unwashed, 39c. Scoured basis: Texas: Fine twelve months, 67@70c; fine eight months, 60@62c. California; Northern, 65@67c; middle county, 62@63c; southern, 55@56c. Oregon: Eastern No. 1 staple, 72@73c; eastern clothing, 67@69c; valley No. 1, 55@62c. Territory: Fine staple, 73@75c; fine medium staple, 70@72c; fine clothing, 66@71c; fine medium clothing, 65@68c; half blood combing, 71@73c; three-eighths blood combing, 68@70c. Pulled: Extra, 70@72c; AA, 66@70c; fine A, 66@68c; A supers, 63@65c.

RESIN AND TURPENTINE.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Dec. 24.—TURPENTINE—Firm, 51¼@51½c. Sales, 269; receipts, 207; shipments, none; stock, 56,027. RESIN—Firm. Sales, 859; receipts, 1,872; shipments, none; stock, 75,927. Quote: A, B, C, D, E, $5.10; F, $5.25@5.40; G, $5.30@5.40; H, I, $5.35@5.40; K, $5.80@5.90; M, $6.20; N, $6.75; WG, $7.00; WW, $7.25.

NEW YORK STOCK TRANSACTIONS

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.	Net chge.
Adams Exp.	100	132	132	132	....
Alaska Gold	7,700	25⅜	24¼	24⅞	....
Alaska Jun.	700	10	10	10	....
Allis-C. Mfg.	1,000	32¼	32⅛	32⅜	+ ⅝
Do pfd.	2,700	84⅝	84	84⅛	+ ⅛
Am. Ag. Ch.	300	71	71	71	....
Am. B. Sug.	400	70	69⅞	70	+ ½
*Am. B. Shoe ctfs.	200	100⅛	100	....	— 2⅛
Am. Can	14,700	62	60½	61	+ ⅝
Do pfd.	200	11⅛	11	11⅛	....
Am. Car & F.	2,200	75¼	78	78⅜	+ ⅜
*Am. Coal Pr.	300	155½	155	155½	— ½
Am. Cot. Oil	400	55¼	55	55	+ ½
Am. H. & L.	300	10⅜	10⅜	10⅜	+ ¼
Do pfd.	1,100	51½	51	51⅜	+ 1⅜
Am. Ice Sec.	800	26⅛	26¼	26⅜	— ⅝
Am. Lins. Oil	900	23⅛	23	23	+ ⅛
Do pfd.	300	41½	41	41½	+ ½
Am. Locomot.	4,100	70⅞	69⅝	69⅝	....
Am. Malt	500	9	9	9	....
Am. Smelting	8,400	105½	104⅝	104⅝	— ⅝
Do pfd.	500	112¾	112½	111½	— ½
Do pfd. A	2,100	91	90	90⅝	+ ⅝
Do pfd. B	300	85¼	85⅛	85¼	+ ⅛
Am. St. Fds.	1,200	63	62	62	....
Am. Sugar	1,500	116⅝	115⅝	115⅝	— ⅞
Am. T. & T.	3,100	129⅝	128⅝	128⅝	+ ⅝
Am. Tobacco	3,700	208	202¼	205	+ 4½
Am. Wool. ct.	200	47½	47½	47½	— ½
Am. Zinc	13,600	71½	68⅝	71	+ 2
Am. W. P. pf.	900	14⅝	13½	14⅝	....
Anaconda	10,000	89⅝	88⅞	89	— ½
Asso. Oil	300	64	63	63	— 1
Atchison	3,600	107¼	106⅝	107¼	+ ⅝
Do pfd.	300	101⅝	101⅝	101⅝	....
Atl. Coast L.	100	113⅞	113⅞	113⅞	+ ⅞
Baldw. Loco.	17,200	119⅝	118	118½	+ ⅝
Balt. & Ohio	5,600	94⅝	93⅞	94¼	+ ½
Do pfd.	400	77½	77⅜	77⅜	+ ¼
Batopilas	800	3⅝	3½	3⅝	+ ⅛
Beth. Steel	200	472	471	471	— 1
Brk. R. T.	300	87⅝	87½	87½	....
Brk. Union G.	100	133	133	133	....
Butte & Sup.	10,400	70⅝	67½	69⅝	+ 2⅝
Burns Bros.	700	88½	87⅞	88¼	+ ⅝
Calif. Petrol.	1,800	32¼	31⅜	31⅜	— ¼
Do pfd.	700	61⅝	60½	60⅝	— ¾
Can. Pacific	1,300	181¼	180	180⅝	— ⅝
Cent. Leather	700	53⅝	53¼	53½	....
Ches. & Ohio	2,000	63¼	62¼	62¼	+ ¼
Chi. Gt. W.	900	15¼	15¼	15¼	+ ¼
Do pfd.	900	39¼	38⅝	39	....
C., M. & St. P.	900	94⅝	94⅝	94⅝	+ ⅝
Do pfd.	300	132⅝	132¼	132⅝	+ 1
Chi. & N. W.	100	131	131	131	+ ¼
Chile Cop.	3,200	24⅝	24½	24⅝	+ ¼
Chino	4,400	55¼	54½	54½	— 2
C., R. I. & P.	2,200	17	16¼	17	+ ⅝
C., C., C. & St. L.	400	49⅛	48⅛	49⅛	....
Do pfd.	100	76	76	76	+ 1
Colo. Fuel	12,200	53¼	52	52⅝	+ ¾
Cons. Gas	1,000	145⅝	145¼	145¼	....
Corn Prod.	12,600	20¼	19⅝	19⅝	— ¼
Do pfd.	300	92	91½	91⅞	— ⅝
Crucible St.	5,000	74⅝	73½	73½	— ¼
D. & R. G.	100	14	14	14	....
D., L. & W.	100	222	222	222	....
Del. & Hud.	200	153	152⅝	153	....
Dist. Sec.	9,700	49½	48¼	48¼	— ½
Dome Mng.	2,600	29½	28⅝	28⅝	+ ¼
Duluth S. S. & A.	200	7½	7½	7½	....
Do pfd.	100	13	13	13	....
Erie	11,300	42⅝	42⅛	42⅝	+ ¼
Do 1st pfd.	1,700	56⅝	56⅛	56⅝	— ⅛
Do 2d pfd.	100	50⅛	50⅛	50⅛	....
Fed. M. & S. pfd.	100	52½	52½	52½	....
Greene Can.	2,300	52⅛	51¼	52⅛	....
Gen. Electric	700	174	173	173⅝	— ½
Gen. Motors	1,000	485	450	485	+20
Do pfd.	1,100	118⅝	116¼	118	+ 2
Goodrich	8,800	74¼	72½	74¼	+ 1½
Do pfd.	100	112¾	112¼	112¾	+ ⅞
Gt. Nor. Ore.	6,300	49¼	48⅝	48⅝	— ¼
Gt. Nor. pfd.	1,200	126¼	125⅝	126¼	+ ¾
Gugg. Expln.	7,900	80¼	79¼	80	+ ½
Ill. Central	200	108	107⅞	108	+ 1
Inspn. Cop.	7,800	45⅝	45⅛	45⅛	— ¼
Int. Ag. Corp. pfd.	400	58⅝	58	58	— 1
In. Mer. Mar. ctfs.	1,500	18½	18	18	....
Do pf. ctf.	23,500	74⅝	72½	73⅝	+ ⅝
In.-Met. cons.	2,100	21⅝	21⅝	21⅝	— ¼
Int. Paper	1,100	12⅝	12⅛	12⅝	+ ¼
Do pfd.	4,400	50⅝	49⅝	49½	+ ¼
Int. Nickel	300	196	195	196	+ 1
K. C. South.	1,100	31¼	31	31⅜	— ⅛
Lack. Steel	2,000	82⅝	81	81	+ ½
L. E. & W.	100	15	15	15	— ¼
Do pfd.	500	38	37½	38	+ ½
*Lehigh Val.	700	81¼	81¼	81¼	— 1
Loose-Wiles	100	24	24	24	....
L. & Nash.	200	129⅛	129	129⅛	....
Mex. Motor	3,200	76½	74¾	76½	+ ⅝
Do 1st pfd.	1,600	102¼	101⅝	102⅛	+ ¼
Do 2d pfd.	500	85½	85⅜	85½	+ ½
Mex. Petrol.	20,700	106	104⅛	105⅛	+ ⅜
Do pfd.	300	97½	97	97	— ⅜
Miami Cop.	2,600	34⅞	34¼	34½	— ⅛
Minn. & S. L.	200	15¼	15⅛	15⅛	....
Do pfd.	200	34½	34½	34½	....
M., St. P. & S. S. M.	100	124¼	124¼	124¼	+ ¾
M., K. & T.	300	7	7	7	....
Mo. Pacific	500	4	3⅞	3⅞	— ⅛
Do ctfs.	400	4⅛	4	4⅛	....
Mont. Power	200	73½	73⅛	73½	....
Nat. Clk.-St.	100	79⅝	79⅝	79⅝	....
Nat. Bis. pfd.	200	127	127	127	....
Nat. Enam.	200	29⅛	29	29	....
Nat Lead	500	66⅛	65½	65½	— ⅜
Do pfd.	100	111	111	111	+ 1
Nev. Copper	600	16	16	16	....
N. Y. Air Br.	300	139	138	139	+ 2¼
N. Y. Cent.	2,100	108½	107⅞	108⅛	+ ⅜
N. Y., C. & St. L.	400	46½	46⅛	46½	— ½
N. Y., N. H. & H.	1,600	75¼	74½	74⅝	— ⅜
N. Y., O. & W.	600	31	30⅛	30½	— ½
Norf. South.	300	25	25	25	....
Norf. & Wn.	2,300	122¼	122	122	— ⅛
North Am.	100	72½	72½	72½	— ¾
Nor. Pacific	5,000	117⅝	117	117¼	+ ⅛
Ont. Silver	1,100	10¼	10	10	— ⅜
Pacific Mail	400	11½	11⅜	11⅜	+ ⅛
Pa Ry.	8,300	59⅛	59	59⅛	+ ⅛
Peoples Gas	100	109½	109½	109½	....
Phila. Co.	5,400	45⅜	45	45	....
Pgh Coal	5,400	36⅛	35⅛	35⅞	+ ¼
Do pfd.	500	111⅜	111⅛	111⅜	— ⅜
P. C. C. & St. L.	2,200	85	81	85	+ 4
Do pfd.	200	97	95	97	....
Pr Steel Car	500	65	64½	64⅝	— ⅛
Pullman	100	165⅝	165⅝	165⅝	+ ⅛
Ry. Stl. Sprg.	200	45	45	45	+ 1
Ray Cons.	4,400	25⅜	25⅛	25⅜	— ⅛
Reading	3,400	82⅝	82	82	— ⅜
Rep. I. & St.	4,100	55½	54⅜	54⅜	— ⅞
Do pfd.	100	110⅛	110⅛	110⅛	....
Rock Isl. pfd.	1,400	⅝	⅝	⅝	....
Seab. Air L.	300	18½	18	18	— ¼
Do pfd.	200	40	40	40	....
Sears-Roe.	1,900	185⅝	184½	185⅝	+ 1½
S'css-Shef.	400	63	62⅞	62⅞	+ ⅞
Sou. Pacific	15,000	102⅞	102	102⅝	+ ⅝
Sou. Ry.	2,500	23⅛	23	23	....
Do pfd.	100	62¼	62¼	62¼	+ ⅛
St. L. & S. F.	1,600	5	4⅝	5	....
Do 1st pfd.	100	10	10	10	....
Do 2d pfd.	600	7½	6¾	6¾	— ½
Std. Milling	200	86	86	86	....
Studebaker	4,500	168⅛	165½	167⅝	+ ¼
Do pfd.	200	113	113	113	....
Tenn. Cop.	1,200	60¼	59⅛	59⅛	— ⅜
Texas Oil	4,600	232½	226¼	230	....
Do f. pd.	100	230	230	230	....
Texas & Pac.	100	15¼	15¼	15¼	+ ⅜
Third Av.	900	61	60¼	61	+ ⅜
United Fruit	500	148⅛	148	148	+ ¼
Union Bag	700	8¼	8	8¼	....
Union Pac.	6,800	138⅝	138	138	— ⅛
Do pfd.	200	83¾	83¼	83¾	+ ¼
Un. Cig. Strs.	3,600	9½	9¼	9½	+ ⅛
Un. Ry. Inv.	600	21⅜	21⅛	21⅜	+ ⅜
Do pfd.	100	38⅛	38⅛	38⅛	....
U. S. Alcohol	6,000	131⅝	128⅛	129⅛	— 1⅞
Do pfd.	300	105½	105	105½	....
U S Rubber	2,100	55⅛	54½	55	+ ⅜
U. S. Steel	104,300	87⅞	87	87⅛	+ ⅝
Do pfd.	1,100	117	116⅝	116⅝	— ⅛
Utah Copper	3,800	80⅜	80⅛	80⅛	....
Va. Chem.	4,900	49⅛	48⅛	49	+ 1⅛
Wabash w. i.	900	16⅛	16	16	....
Do pfd A.	1,300	46⅛	45⅜	46⅛	— ⅜
Do pfd B.	3,400	29⅛	29½	29⅛	+ ⅜
Wells-Fargo	500	126⅛	125	125	— 1½
Wn. Md. pfd.	200	44	43	43	....
West. Union	600	87	86⅜	87	....
Wtghse. Elec.	4,900	69⅛	68⅛	68⅝	— ¼
W. Overland	400	240	237	240	....
W. & L. Erie	200	4¾	4¾	4¾	—
Do 1st pfd.	100	17	17	17	+ ½
Do 2d pfd.	200	5⅞	5¼	5¼	— ½
Woolworth	200	119½	119¼	119½	— ½
Do pfd.	100	123	123	123	— 1

*Ex-div.

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked.
United States 2s registered	99¼	..
United States 2s coupon	99	..
United States 3s registered	101¼	..
United States 3s coupon	101¼	..
United States 4s registered	109½	110¼
United States 4s coupon	109½	..
U. S. Panama 2s 1938	98	..

NEW YORK BOND TRANSACTIONS

No. thous.		High.	Low.	Close.
2,000	Anglo-Fr 5s	94⅝	94⅝	94⅝
54	Jap 2d 4½s Ger. stp	74⅝	74⅝	74⅝
4	Rep Cuban 5s 1904	97⅞	97⅞	97⅞
26	do 5s 1914	96	96	96
5	N Y Canal 4½s	113	113	113
16	N Y City 4½s May 1957	105⅝	105⅝	105⅝
35	do Nov 1957	105⅝	105⅝	105⅝
39	do 4½s 1965	106¼	106	106¼
1	do 4½s 1960	101⅝	101⅝	101⅝
1	Alaska Gold 6s	116	116	116
71	Alb & Susq 3½s	85½	85⅛	85⅛
1	Am Ag Chem 1st 5s	102¼	102¼	102¼
30	Am Smelt 6s	114¼	114¼	114¼
13	Am T & T col 4s	90⅞	90⅞	90⅞
221	do 4½s	107¼	106⅞	106⅞
25	Armour 4½s	93	92⅞	92⅞
25	Atch gen 4s	93½	93⅜	93⅜
6	do adj 4s stamped	86⅛	86⅛	86⅛
3	do cv 4s 1955	106⅞	106⅞	106⅞
30	do cv 4s 1960	107⅛	107	107⅛
5	do cv 5s	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
1	do East Okla 4s	94	94	94
1	A C L L & N 4s	85	85	85
25	B & O 3½s	93¼	93	93¼
26	do gold 4s	91½	91¼	91¼
100	do cv 4½s	96⅝	96¼	96⅛
6	do P G H J & M 3½s	90⅞	90⅞	90⅞
5	do S W 3½s	92	92	92
1	B R T 5s	103¼	103¼	103¼
1	do 5s notes	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛
10	do 4s	80⅛	80⅛	80⅛
2	B U Gas 5s	104½	104½	104½
2	Cal Gas 5s	97¼	97¼	97¼
3	Cent Ga 5s	101½	101½	101½
5	Cent Lea 5s	100⅝	100⅝	100⅝
35	Cent Pac 4s	90⅞	90⅞	90⅞
26	do 3s 1st	90	89⅞	89⅞
5	Cent R R N J 5s	116½	116	116½
4	C & O 5s	106	105½	105½
2	do gen 4½s	90½	90½	90½
3	do Neb 4s	97⅞	97⅞	97⅞
7	do jt 4s	97⅞	97⅞	97⅞
2	C M & St P gen 4½s	102½	102½	102½
38	do cv 4½s	102	101½	102
2	do gen and ref cv 5s	107	107	107
10	do ref 4½s	92½	92½	92½
2	do C & P W 5s	103¼	103¼	103¼
9	C N W St L P & N W 5s	106⅝	106⅝	106⅝
6	C R I & P gen 4s	84½	84½	84½
4	do rfg 4s	67	66⅞	66⅞
23	do deb 5s	42⅜	42½	42⅜
32	Chile Copper 7s	135½	135	135
2	Comp Tab 6s	83	83	83
79	Con Gas 6s	125¼	124½	124⅝
2	Cuban-A Sugar 6s	101⅝	101⅝	101⅝
43	D & H cv 5s	106	106	106
6	do 4s	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛
1	do rfg 4s	96	96	96
8	D & R G 4s	80	80	80
15	do 5s	58	58	58
1	Det Edison 5s	102⅝	102⅝	102⅝
3	Det Uni Ry 4½s	75½	75½	75½
22	Dis Sec 5s	73	72⅞	72⅞
4	Dupont 4½s	101¼	101¼	101¼
1	Erie 1st 7s	110¼	110¼	110¼
1	Erie D & I ext 5s	102⅝	102⅝	102⅝
13	do cv 4s A	71	71	71
83	do cv 4s B	81½	80⅞	81
3	Ft W & R G 4s	67½	67	67
1	Geo Pac 6s	107⅞	107⅞	107⅞
10	Green Bay B	13⅝	13⅝	13⅝
5	Houst E W T 5s	101	101	101
15	Hud & Man rfg 5s	74½	74½	74½
13	do adj inc 5s	31	31	31
4	Ill Cent rfg 4s	89⅝	89⅝	89½
14	Ill Steel deb 4½s	90⅝	90	90⅝
25	Ind Steel 5s	101⅝	101⅝	101⅝
1	Inspn 6s	182½	182½	182½
30	Int Met 4½s	76½	76¼	76⅞
52	do 5s	99½	99⅜	99½
21	Int Mer Mar 4½s	95½	95½	95½
178	do ctfs	95⅝	94⅞	95¼
10	Int Paper 5s	84	84	84
1	Ia Cent 4s	52⅝	52⅝	52⅝
5	Kan & Mich 5s	98⅝	98⅝	98⅝
1	K C So 3s	70¼	70¼	70¼
1	do 5s	93⅞	93⅞	93⅞
5	Lack Steel 5s 1923	98¼	98¼	98¼
20	do 5s 1950	93	92½	92½
2	Lake Shore gen 3½s	84	84	84
14	do 4s 1931	94	94	94
12	Ligg & M 5s	101	101	101
5	do reg	100½	100½	100½
18	Lorillard 5s	101	100⅞	101
4	do reg	100½	100½	100½
10	L & N uni 4s	94¼	94¼	94¼
10	M St P & S S M 4s	93½	93½	93½
14	M K & T 1st 4s	77½	77	77½
4	do 4½s	43	43	43
3	Mo Pac cv 5s	46½	46½	46½
19	Mont Power 5s	95¼	95	95¼
2	Mor & Essex 3½s	86⅛	86⅛	86⅛
149	N Y Cent deb 6s	112⅝	112⅜	112⅝
80	do refg 4½s	93⅞	93⅝	93⅞
10	do 4s	92½	92½	92½
1	do rfg 3½s	83½	83½	83½
12	N Y C & St L 1st 4s	93½	93	93
6	N Y Conn Ry 4½s	97	97	97
4	N Y Gas 4s	85	85	85
2	N Y N H & H deb 4s	81⅝	81⅝	81⅝
5	N Y Rys rfg 4s	72⅝	72⅝	72⅝
82	do adj 5s	56	55½	56
12	N Y Tel 4½s	98⅝	98⅝	98⅝
15	N & W div 4s	90	90	90
15	Nor Pac 4s	93	93	93
13	do 3s	65⅜	65⅜	65⅜
5	Ore & Cal 1st 5s	102⅞	102⅞	102⅞
11	O S L refg 4s	92⅞	92⅞	92⅞
4	Pac Tel 5s	99⅝	99⅝	99⅝
5	Pa 4½s	105½	105½	105½
98	do gen 4½s	100⅞	100⅞	100⅞
5	P C C & St L 4½s	104	104	104
1	Pub Svc N J 5s	90	90	90
1	Ray Con 6s	126	126	126
5	Rdg 4s	94⅝	94⅝	94⅝
3	Rep I & S 5s	96⅛	96⅛	96⅛
1	St L I M & S 5s	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
10	do 4s	74⅛	74⅛	74⅛
10	St L & S F 5s	50¼	50¼	50¼
2	St L S W 1st 4s	79	79	79
1	S A L 4s	82	82	82
1	do refg 4s	70	70	70
28	do adj 5s	68	67⅞	68
4	So Bell Tel 5s	99⅞	99⅞	99⅞
161	So Pac cv 5s	106⅛	105⅞	106⅛
176	do cv 4s	89½	89	89¼
7	do rfg 4s	90	90	90
2	So Ry 5s	102⅞	102⅞	102⅞
29	do 4s	70⅞	70⅞	70⅞
1	do St L 4s	82½	82½	82½
4	T C I & R R Birm 6s	102	102	102
4	do Tenn 6s	102	102	102
10	T St L & W 3½s	83	83	83
5	U P 1st 4s	97¼	97¼	97¼
5	do cv 4s	93⅝	93½	93⅝
1	do rfg 4s	90¼	90¼	90¼
1	U S Rub 6s	103⅝	103⅝	103⅝
43	U S Steel 5s	104	103⅞	104
8	Va Chem 6s	102	102	102
13	do 5s	98⅛	98	98
2	Va Ry 4s	97⅞	97¼	97⅞
6	Wab 1st 5s	103¼	103⅛	103¼
1	do rfg 4s ctfs	103	103	103
10	do 1st paid	42	42	42
50	do Pgh 1st 4s ctfs	1¼	1¼	1¼
17	do 2d 4s ctfs	¼	¼	¼
1	W N Y & Pa 1st 5s	103⅝	103⅝	103⅝
8	do gen 4s	81⅝	81⅝	81⅝
1	West Union 4½s	94	94	94
10	Westinghouse cv 5s	138¼	138¼	138¼
15	West Shore 4s	92	92	92
4	W & L E 4s	70⅜	70⅜	70⅜

DRY GOODS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Cotton goods markets were firm today and tended higher. Print cloths were active. The dye stuffs difficulty is becoming very serious to mills and merchants, recent advances named by dyers and finishers being very drastic and deliveries impeded.

APATHY ABSENT IN N. Y. STOCKS

Dealings Fairly Large and Broad with an Average of Higher Prices.

Total sales of stocks, 583,000 shares.

Total sales of bonds (par value), $5,225,000.

New York, Dec. 24.—Less than the usual holiday apathy pervaded today's market, dealings being fairly large and broad, with an average of higher prices.

Railroad shares were plainly helped by the decision of the interstate commerce commission, increasing freight rates for many important commodities to carriers in western and southwestern territories. United States Steel, the market leader, rose ⅞ to 87⅞, only a fraction under its maximum of the last five years, and coppers hardened on the fixed quotations, 21¼ for domestic and 21½ for foreign deliveries.

N. Y. Central Leads Railroads.

New York Central again led the railways, its advance of a point to 108½ marking a new high quotation for the current movement. The shares of subsidiary roads of the New York Central and Pennsylvania systems also strengthened and a better inquiry was noted for the southern group.

Oil and automobile issues were under restraint resulting from further profit taking during the forenoon, General Motors showing marked weakness, but many of these losses were fully retrieved later. War shares and some utilities moved within narrow limits, but mostly higher. Extreme dullness prevailed in the final hour with a firm tone at the close.

Anglo-French Bonds Active.

Among the few noteworthy features was the steady outpouring of Anglo-French bonds, which were offered in blocks up to $500,000. Sales of this issue approximated $2,000,000, all transactions being made between 94⅝ and 94¾.

Private cables from London indicated a continuance of private liquidation of American securities, prior to the completion of the plans of the chancellor of the exchequer for home control of those securities.

Bonds in general reflected the irregular trend of the Anglo-French issue. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

Mercantile paper, 3@3½ per cent. Sterling, 60 day bills, 4.68½; demand, 4.72⅞; cables, 4.73⅞. Francs, demand, 5.86; cables, 5.84. Marks, demand, 76⅞; cables, 76 15-16. Guilders, demand, 43¼; cables, 43⅜. Lires, demand, 6.57½; cables, 6.56½. Rubles, demand, 31½; cables, 31⅝. Bar silver, 53⅞c. Mexican dollars, 41½c. Government bonds steady. Railroad bonds irregular. Time loans easy; 60 and 90 days, 2¾@2⅞ per cent; six months, 2⅞@3 per cent. Call money steady; high, 2 per cent; low, 1⅞ per cent; ruling rate, 1⅞ per cent; last loan, 2 per cent; closing bid, 1⅞ per cent; offered at 2 per cent.

TRANSACTIONS ON THE CURB.

	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Ajax Rubber	500	69⅞	70	69⅞	69⅞
Atlan Cons.	4,000	15c	15c	15c	15c
Amn. In. Cor. 10% paid	160	16	16⅛	16	16⅛
Amn Marconi	1,000	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
Atl. Gulf & W. I. pfd.	200	45½	46	45½	46
Braden	5,200	17	17⅛	17	17
Butte C. & Z.	100	6½	6½	6½	6½
Butte & N. Y.	200	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
Can. Nat. Gas	1,300	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
Can. Car & Fy.	915	85	88	85	85
Do pfd.	250	103	105	102	103¼
Cerro de Pasco	700	38	38	37½	37½
Cons. Ariz.	4,200	1 7-16	1 7-16	1⅜	1⅜
Cosden & Co.	1,200	12⅞	12⅞	12⅝	12⅞
Canada Cop.	2,000	2 1-16	2⅛	2 1-16	2⅛
Car Lt. & P.	250	6½	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝
Chev. Motors	2,310	150	150	122	128
Driggs Seab. ex-rites	222	141½	145	141	145
Do rites	385	29	29½	28	29½
Emma Cop.	5,000	18c	18c	16c	18c
First N. Cop.	20,830	7⅜	9	7⅜	9
Has. Bark. C.	1,312	58	58⅞	57½	58
Houston Oil	600	23	23⅞	22⅞	23⅛
Howe Sound	9,250	5⅝	6	5⅛	5⅝
Inter. Mines	900	17c	20c	17c	20c
Inter. Marine	4,600	18¼	18⅝	17⅞	18
Do pfd.	2,700	72⅞	74⅛	72	74¼
Inter. Con. R.	6,000	15⅛	17⅞	15	17⅛
In. Nick. new	400	49⅛	49½	49⅛	49⅛
Jewel Tea	100	63⅛	63⅛	63⅛	63⅛
Do pfd.	200	99⅛	99⅞	99⅛	99⅞
Jumbo Ext.	1,000	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
Kath. Br. pfd.	900	21	23	20	23
Kennecott	21,700	55⅛	56	55½	55⅞
Kelly Spgfield	10	292	293	292	292
Lee Rub. Tire	1,200	48⅛	50¼	48⅛	49⅛
McKin. Dar.	5,700	50c	53c	50c	53c
Mason Valley	2,320	4	4	3	3⅞
Maxim Muni.	1,400	13¼	13⅛	13⅛	13⅛
Manhat. Tr.	350	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
Metropol. Pet.	400	22¼	22⅛	22⅛	22⅛
Midwest Ref.	90	58	58	57	57
Magma Cop.	2,900	15½	15⅞	15⅛	15⅞
Midvale Steel	24,700	75	77⅞	75	77⅛
Mines of Am.	8,300	3⅝	4	3⅝	3⅞
Mother Lode	10,700	27c	27½c	26c	27c
Nev. El. Surv.	700	⅝	13-16	⅝	13-16
Nipissing	300	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝
Nova Sco. St.	200	101¼	101¼	101¼	101¼
Peerless Mot.	1,000	35	35½	35	35¼
Pa. M. O. & C.	200	60⅞	60⅞	60⅞	60⅞
Poole Engin.	1,680	126	146	126	143
Rik. H. Corp.	150	5½	5½	5½	5½
Ray Hercules	500	3⅝	3⅝	3¼	3⅜
Rex Cons.	1,000	33c	33c	33c	33c
Sapula Ref.	1,200	8¼	8¼	8	8¼
St. Jos. Lead	700	13⅛	13⅛	13⅛	13⅛
Stand. S. & L.	2,500	1 15-16	1 15-16	1⅞	1 15-16
Stew. Mining	500	⅝	⅝	⅝	⅝
Submarine	1,300	44⅞	45	44⅞	45
Success	4,000	60c	60c	59c	59c
Tobacco Prod.	300	32¼	32¼	32	32
Tono. of Nev.	100	7	7	7	7
Triangle	1,700	6½	6⅞	6⅞	6½
U. S. Lt. & Ht.	500	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛
Do pfd.	440	5	5	4⅞	4⅞
Un. Pr. Shrg.	1,200	1 13-16	1⅞	1 13-16	1⅞
United Verdi.	400	5⅜	5⅜	5⅜	5⅜
Victoria Oil	1,000	2⅞	2⅞	2½	2⅞
White Motor	1,900	53⅛	53⅛	52⅝	52⅝
World Film	1,300	3⅛	3⅛	3	3⅛
Yan. G. Min.	1,300	16c	16c	16c	16c

BONDS.

$360,000 B. & O. new 5s	100½	100⅝	100½	100½
10,000 C. de Pasco 6s	120	120	120	120
15,000 Ken. Cop. 6s	220	221	220	221

CLOSING BID AND ASKED PRICES.

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
*Br. A. Tob.	13⅞	15	Kerr Lake	4⅝	4⅝
Do new	14	15⅛	La Rose	⅝	⅝
Cons. C. M.	1⅝	2⅛	L. Val. C. S.	80	82
Cramp	84	88	Majestic	1⅛	1⅛
Elec. Boat	445	452	N. Y. Tr.	14	15
Do pfd.	445	452	Otis Elev.	68	70
Gold Cons.	1	1 1-16	Saxon	65⅛	67½
Hendee Mfg.	28⅞	30	Stand. Mot.	9⅞	10
Hous. Oil pf.	65	70	Ster. Gum w. i.	2⅝	2⅞
Int. Motor	27	32	Tono Ext.	3⅞	4
Do pfd.	47	55	Do Mining	6⅞	7⅛
Int. Salt	37	42	U. C. S.	90	105
Kelly T. 1st pfd.	95	96½	Yukon Gold	2⅝	3

BONDS.

Western Pacific 5s	36	39

*Ex-dividend.

STANDARD OIL SUBSIDIARIES.

	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Ill. Pipe	20	180	180	180	180
Ohio	57	187	187	186	186
Pierce Oil	200	17½	17⅛	17	17
Prairie Oil	15	439	439	439	439
South. Pa.	20	381	381	380	380
S. O. Cal.	45	383	383	380	380
S. O. N. J.	30	555	555	555	555

CLOSING BID AND ASKED PRICES.

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
An. Am. Oil	17½	18¼	North. Pipe	108	110
Atlan. Ref.	685	690	Prairie Pipe	233	238
Borne Scrys.	285	295	Solar Ref.	330	340
Buck. Pipe	112	115	South. Pipe	230	235
Ches. Mfg.	730	750	S. W. Pa. P.	130	135
Col. Oil	160	180	S. O. Ind.	540	550
Cont. Oil	275	280	S. O. Kas.	475	485
Cresc. Pipe	47	50	S. O. Ky.	355	360
Cumb. Pipe	60	65	S. O. Neb.	355	360
Eureka Pipe	260	270	S. O. N. Y.	230	231
Gal. Sig. Oil	164	167	S. O. Ohio	555	565
Do pfd.	135	140	Swan. & F.	130	140
Indiana Pipe	112	114	Un. T. Line	87	89
Nat. Transit	33	35	Vacuum Oil	234	237
N. Y. Tran. ex. div. $4	220	231	Wash. Oil	50	55

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Fort Dodge, Des Moines & Southern.

G. T. M.—The Fort Dodge, Des Moines and Southern railroad has shown a rapid increase of earnings since Oct. 28, 1913, when the present company purchased the property at foreclosure sale. The gross reported for the year ended June 30 last was $1,285,962, net after taxes $621,311. This is well over twice the interest on the outstanding $5,500,000 of first mortgage bonds. The road was built as an independent steam line, but has been changed to electric. The bonds are a comparatively new issue, but they appear to be well secured.

Illinois Commercial Men's Assn.

C. S. P.—The Illinois Commercial Men's association operates on a mutual basis. It has had a steady growth in recent years till 1914, when there was a slight falling off in receipts from members, though the number of certificates in force increased by fifty, there being 111,082 at the end of the year. Disbursements exceeded receipts by $56,000 in 1913, and by $14,000 in 1914, leaving the net surplus on Jan. 1 last $45,018. Management expenses are moderate. The association has been in business since 1892.

Texas Company.

B. T. R.—Stock of the Texas company is speculative. Earnings are subject to wide fluctuations. The company's fiscal year ends on June 30. Earnings [illegible] last year were equal to 21.2 per cent [illegible] stock, compared with 20.6 the previous year, 25.74 in 1913, and 9.86 in 1912. [illegible] June 30 $7,000,000 of new stock has [illegible] issued for the purpose of raising [illegible] for investments in pipe lines and increasing stocks of crude oil. The course of [illegible] market for Mexican Petroleum [illegible] redicted.

Lomax.

J. K., Olney, Ill.: As far as this department can learn, the Lomax "boom" [illegible] principally on paper. The boomers control a tract of land and have been advertising the sale of bonds and stock [illegible] two years past, saying that the tract [illegible] soon become a great manufacturing [illegible] using power from the Keokuk dam. Requests for information as to what assets are back of the bonds and shares have brought no response. Officials of railways passing through the town express little confidence in the speculation.

Brief Answers.

J. H. B.—There is no doubt that the Standard Oil companies are managed with great skill and for the benefit of the stockholders, but this is about all the information available. A purchase is a speculation rather than an investment. [illegible] stocks are dealt in on the curb only because the management does not wish to furnish the information required by the exchanges previous to listing a stock.

C. E. S., Jacksonville, Ill.—No [illegible] information is obtainable from the [illegible] Eagle Reduction company. On the [illegible] of your statement the stock would be considered purely speculative.

CLOSING BID and ASKED PRICES

[Stocks not traded in yesterday.]

	Bid.	Asked.
Am. Ag. Ch. pfd.	97½	99
Am. B. Sug. pfd.	94	95
Am. B. Shoe pfd ctfs.	100	105
Am. C. & F. pfd.	117	117½
Am. Coal P. pfd.	112	119
Am Cot. Oil pfd.	97⅛	99⅛
Am. Malt pf	33	37
Am. Snuff	146	150
Do pfd.	104	110⅛
Am. Sugar pf	117	119
Am. T. & C.	63½	67
Am. Tob. pf.	106½	107⅞
Am. Woolen	47⅞	49
Do pfd.	95⅞	98
Assets Real.	8	10
Bald. Loco. pfd.	107	108½
Beth. Steel pfd.	145	157
Brunswick	11½	12
Buff., Roch. & Pitts.	92½	100
Butterick	30	32
Cent. Lea. pfd.	109	109⅛
Cent of N. J.	290	320
Chi. & Alton	10	13
Do pfd.	17½	20
C., St. P., M. & Omaha	118	124
Do pfd.	133	140
C. & N. W. pfd.	170	180
Cluett-Pea.	72½	74
Do pfd.	110	112
Colo. & Sou.	33½	34½
Do 1st pfd.	55	60
Do 2d pfd.	45	50
Colo. Fuel pfd.	178	205
Cont. Gas.	82	87
Do pfd.	106	108
Crex Carpet	40	50
Deere pfd.	95	97
D. & R. G. pfd.	26	27
Det. United	69	70
Fed. M. & S.	31	34
G. W. Helme Co.	150	195
Do pfd.	111	112
Gen. Chem.	290	330
Do pfd.	114½	115½
Hav. Elec.	91	..
Homestake	122½	..
Hock. Val.	..	110
Int. Agr. C.	22½	23½
Int. Harv. of N. J.	110	111
Do pfd.	116½	120
Int Harv. C.	79	83
Do pfd.	100	108
Iowa Cent.	7	10
Do pfd.	15	20
J. I. Case pf	82	84½
J. Kayser	83¼	86
Do pfd.	107	110
K. C., Ft. S. & M. pfd.	65	70
Keokuk & Des Moines	3	4½
Kresge	368	..
Do pfd.	110	111
Laclede Gas	102½	103¼
Lig. & M.	245	255
Do pfd.	117½	..
Loose-Wiles 1st pfd.	94½	96⅞
Do 2d pfd.	..	65
Long Island	20	21½
Man. Elec.	129	132
May Dept. S. pfd.	104	106
M., St. P. & S. S. M. pfd.	130	135
M, K & T pf	16	17½
Mont Power pfd.	108½	112½
Nash. & Ch.	130	140
Nat. Enamel pfd.	92	94½
Nat. Rys. of Mex. 1st pf	20	25
Do 2d pfd.	8½	9
N. Y. Dock	10	15
N. Y., C. & St. L. 1st pfd.	81	89
Do 2d pfd.	60	65
Norf. & W. pfd.	83⅞	85
Nor. Ohio T. & L.	60	70
Pabst Br. pf	..	86
Pac. T. & T.	42½	44
Do pfd.	91	95
Pac. Coast	43	46
P. Lorillard	180	185
Do pfd.	113⅝	..
Peoria & E.	12½	15½
Pettibone-M.	55	65
Do pfd.	94	99
Pitts. Steel pfd.	97¼	98½
Pr. Steel Car pfd.	104	106
Pub. Svc. of N. J.	119	121½
Quicksilver	4¼	4½
Do pfd.	4½	5
Ry. Stl. Spg. pfd.	98	100
Reading 1st pfd.	42	42½
Do 2d pfd.	42½	43
Sears-Roe. pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sloss-Shef. pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
St. L. S. W.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stand. Mill. pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Tex. & Pac. land trust	[illegible]	[illegible]
Tol., St. L. & W.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Twin City	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Underwood Typewriter	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Un. B. & P. pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Uni. Cigars Mfg.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Uni. Dry G.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
U. S. C. I. Pipe	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
U. S. Red. & Ref.	[illegible]	[illegible]
U. S. Realty	[illegible]	[illegible]
U. S. Rubber 1st pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Va. Chem. pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Va. Coal & Coke	[illegible]	[illegible]
Va. Ry. & P.	[illegible]	[illegible]
West. Md.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Westing. [illegible] 1st pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Weyman & Bruton	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Wis. Central	[illegible]	[illegible]

BOSTON STOCK TRANSACTIONS

BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—American Zinc was strong at the opening and by noon rose above 71 for a gain of more than two points. The movement in New York accelerated its rise here, it being rumored that a dividend of $25 will be forthcoming. Butte and Superior also responded and rose above 69. Other copper issues continued strong. Calumet and Hecla rose to 565 for a five point gain, Osceola sold at 90, an advance of a point, and Greene Cananea was up a point. There were large fractional gains in Isle Royale, Old Dominion, Wolverine, Copper Range, and Allouez. Call money ruled at 3@3½ per cent; time loans, short dates, 3@3½ per cent; time loans, six months, 3¼@4 per cent; time loans, one year, 4@4½ per cent.

MINING.

	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Adventure	775	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛
Ahmeek	6,957	97	97½	96	97
Alaska	2,920	25	25¼	24¼	25¼
Algomah	150	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
Allouez	700	61½	63	61½	61½
Am. Zinc	10,540	69	71⅛	68⅞	70⅞
Ariz. Coml.	73	7⅞	7⅞	7⅛	7⅞
Butte Al. Scott	95	9½	10	9¼	9¼
Butte & Bal.	190	3¼	3¼	3¼	3¼
Butte & Sup.	4,940	67⅞	70⅝	67½	70⅛
Cal. & Ariz.	1,443	70½	71½	70	71½
Calu. & Hecla	43	560	565	560	560
Centennial	120	17⅛	18	17½	17½
Chino	200	55¼	55¼	54½	54½
Copper Range	2,854	61¼	62	61¼	61¼
Daly-West	50	3½	3½	3½	3½
East Butte	1,235	16	16¼	16	16¼
Franklin	10	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝
Granby	345	84¼	84½	84	84½
Greene-Can.	262	51½	52	51	51
Hancock	725	18	18⅜	18	18¼
Helvetia	400	40c	40c	40c	40c
Indiana	105	6	6	6	6
Inspiration	100	45¼	45¼	45¼	45¼
Isle Royale	674	29	29½	29	29½
Lake	275	19	19¼	19	19
La Salle	150	5½	5½	5½	5½
Mason Valley	5,270	3⅞	4½	3	4½
Mass. Con.	109	13	13⅛	13	13⅛
Mayflower	70	4	4	4	4
Miami	190	35	35	34½	34½
Mohawk	226	94	95	94	94⅞
Nev. Cons.	35	16	16	16	16
New Arcadian	630	10⅝	10⅝	10½	10½
New Idra	150	10⅝	10⅝	10⅝	10⅝
Nipissing	50	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝
North Butte	2,985	32	32¼	32	32
North Lake	25	2¼	2½	2¼	2½
Old Colony	75	3⅝	3⅝	3½	3½
Old Dominion	565	61	61	60	60
Osceola	475	90	90	89	90
Pond Creek	125	16	16	16	16
Quincy	70	90	90	88	88
Ray Cons.	30	25¼	25½	25¼	25¼
Santa Fe	650	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
Shannon	115	7⅝	7⅝	[illegible]	[illegible]
Shattuck	1,790	35	35⅛	[illegible]	[illegible]
South Lake	79	6¼	6¼	[illegible]	[illegible]
St. Mary's L'd	1,180	65	65⅛	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sup. & Boston	25	2⅝	2⅝	[illegible]	[illegible]
Superior Cop.	205	27½	27⅝	[illegible]	[illegible]
Tamarack	107	50	50	[illegible]	[illegible]
Trinity	820	11⅝	11⅝	[illegible]	[illegible]
Tuolumne	200	33c	33c	[illegible]	[illegible]
U. S. Smelters	4,050	50	50⅝	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do pfd.	375	50	50	[illegible]	[illegible]
Utah Apex	400	3⅛	3⅛	[illegible]	[illegible]
Utah Con.	685	13½	13⅝	[illegible]	[illegible]
Utah Copper	20	80½	80⅝	[illegible]	[illegible]
Victoria	150	3	3	[illegible]	[illegible]
Winona	650	3⅝	3⅝	[illegible]	[illegible]
Wolverine	146	61	61	[illegible]	[illegible]
Wyandotte	50	1⅛	1⅛	[illegible]	[illegible]

RAILROADS.

	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Bost. & Alb.	20	190¼	190¼	[illegible]	[illegible]
Boston & Me.	200	34	34	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do pfd.	2	41	41	[illegible]	[illegible]
Conn.-M. cl. 4.	20	95	95	[illegible]	[illegible]
N. Y., N. H.-H.	96	75¼	75¼	[illegible]	[illegible]
W. End St. R. R.	80	64½	64½	[illegible]	[illegible]

MISCELLANEOUS.

	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
A. A. Chem. pf	10	98⅝	98⅝	[illegible]	[illegible]
Amoskeag	50	67	67	[illegible]	[illegible]
Am. Pn. Serv.	265	2⅛	2⅛	[illegible]	[illegible]
Am. Sugar	25	116¼	116¼	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do pfd.	15	118½	118½	[illegible]	[illegible]
Am. Tel.-Tel.	584	128⅝	129¼	[illegible]	[illegible]
A. Wool. pf ctfs	10	95½	95½	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do pf. stk.	265	96	96	[illegible]	[illegible]
A., G. & W. I.	310	30⅝	30⅝	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do pfd.	100	45	45	[illegible]	[illegible]
E. Bost. Land.	50	9	9	[illegible]	[illegible]
Edison	10	245	245	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ga. R. R. pfd.	5	87	87	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mass. Gas	248	85	87	[illegible]	[illegible]
McElwaine pf.	10	100½	100½	[illegible]	[illegible]
N. E. Tel.	35	132	133½	[illegible]	[illegible]
Torrington pf.	5	28½	28½	[illegible]	[illegible]
United Fruit	4,777	148	148⅝	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do rights	608	6¼	6¼	[illegible]	[illegible]
Unit. Shoe M.	400	51⅛	51⅛	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do pfd.	50	29	29	[illegible]	[illegible]
U. S. Steel	2,050	86⅞	87⅛	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do pfd.	20	117	117	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ventura Oil	8,200	11¼	11⅝	[illegible]	[illegible]

BONDS.

$2,000 Am. Tel.-Tel. 4s	90⅝	90⅝	[illegible]
1,000 Anglo-Fr'ch 5s	94½	94½	[illegible]
2,000 A., G.-W. I. 5s	77½	77½	[illegible]
4,000 C., B. & Q. jt. 4s	97½	97½	[illegible]
1,000 K.C.M.Ry.-B.5s	91	91	[illegible]
5,000 Mass. Gas 4½s of 1929	97½	97½	[illegible]
1,000 do 4½s of 1931	94½	94½	[illegible]
2,000 Miss. R. Pwr. 5s	81	81	[illegible]
8,000 Swift 5s	98½	98½	[illegible]

FORWARD MOMENTUM HOLDS IN BUSINESS, R. G. DUN SAYS

Dun's weekly review of the Chicago trade, published today by R. G. Dun & Co., will say:

"Business as a whole maintains the forward momentum and the general conditions at no time heretofore have reflected more distinct improvement or assurance of solid prosperity. With the season at hand for inventories and repairs, there is less slowing down than usual. Christmas dealings exceeded expectations in various lines. This direct indication of the consuming public attests the better times.

"With trading defaults lower in both number and liabilities, there is also heavy gain over last year in payments through the banks. The supply of money continues ample for rising requirements. New demands for outfits of the furnaces, rolling mills, and most other manufacturing have derived additional force and there is also an upturn in average prices of crude and finished materials, which means more adequate operating profits.

"Transportation returns again testified to largely expanded movements of heavy freight and other commodities. The gross earnings of the Chicago steam roads show conspicuously as, to substantial gains. These results bring out commitments for track betterments and terminal extensions and railroad managers of [illegible] systems give closer attention to [illegible] needed motive power and cars.

"Bank clearings, $351,834,4[illegible] those for five days in 1914 by [illegible] cent and compare with $275,129,4[illegible] days in 1913. Failures reported in [illegible] Chicago district numbered 3[illegible] last week, 40 in 1914, and 21 in [illegible] Those with liabilities over $5,000 [illegible] 7, against 10 last week, 15 in 1914 [illegible] in 1913."

MARSHALL FIELD CO. REVI[illegible]

Marshall Field & Co., in their [illegible] review of the dry goods trade, say:

"Current wholesale distribution of [illegible] goods shows a marked advance over [illegible] corresponding period of a year ago. [illegible] large increase in road orders, mail orders, the number of telegraphic orders [illegible] all over the country, and the [illegible] number of customers in the [illegible] dicate that the retail dry goods [illegible] having an exceptional holiday [illegible].

"Orders for spring delivery [illegible] large increase over the corresponding period of a year ago. Collections [illegible] above normal. Prices are firm."

OPEN EVENINGS—8 A.M. [illegible]
Graham & Sons, Bankers
INTEREST PAID ON SAVINGS [illegible]
659-661 WEST MADISON STREET

WHEAT MA[illegible] MAKES F[illegible] SHARP A[illegible]

Bears Worried [illegible] Coarse Grains [illegible] with Bad W[illegible]

[illegible]

Export Sales [illegible]

Receipts Show [illegible]

Big Upturn [illegible]

Oats Active [illegible]

Barley Mark[illegible]

AMERICAN GRA[illegible]

vestors' Guide

information which The Tribune ... t beyond the exercise of care ... umes no responsibility.

... ends on June 30. Earnings in the ... year were equal to 21.3 per cent ... compared with 20.6 the previous ... 25.74 in 1913, and 9.86 in 1912. Since ... 30 $7,000,000 of new stock has been ... d for the purpose of raising money ... nvestments in pipe lines and increase ... tocks of crude oil. The course of the ... ket for Mexican Petroleum cannot be ... cted.

...ax.

...K., Olney, Ill.: As far as this depart... can learn, the Lomax "boom" ... cipally on paper. The boomers ... a tract of land and have been adv... g the sale of bonds and stock for ... years past, saying that the tract will ... become a great manufacturing city ... power from the Keokuk dam. Re... s for information as to what assets ... back of the bonds and shares have ... ght no response. Officials of rail... passing through the town express ... confidence in the speculation.

...f Answers.

...H. B.—There is no doubt that the ... dard Oil companies are managed with ... t skill and for the benefit of the stock... ers, but this is about all the inform... available. A purchase is a specula... rather than an investment. The ... s are dealt in on the curb only be... the management does not wish to ... sh the information required by the ... anges previous to listing a stock.

...E. S., Jacksonville, Ill.—No official ... mation is obtainable from the Gray ... e Reduction company. On the basis ... our statement the stock would be ... dered purely speculative.

...SKED PRICES

...yesterday.

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
...	104	106	pfd	125	...
...P. & ...			Sloss-Shef.		
...pfd.	130	135	pfd	97	99
...& T pf 16		17½	St. L. S. W.	20	21
...Power			Do pfd.	45	...
...	108½	112½	Stand. Mill.		
...& Ch.	130	140	pfd	83¾	84½
...Enamel			Tex. & Pac.		
...	92	94½	land trust	105	113
...Rys. of			Tol., St. L.		
...1st pf	20	25	& W.	5	9
...2d pfd.	8½	9	Do pfd.	10	17
...Dock.	10	15	Twin City	95	99
...C.& St.			Do pfd.	128½	133
...st pfd.	81	89	Underwood		
...2d pfd.	60	65	Typewriter	89	90
...& W.			Do pfd.	107	110
...	83¾	85	Un. B. & P.		
...Ohio T.			pfd	29	30
...	60	70	Uni. Cigars		
...Br. pf		86	Mfg.	62¾	63
...T. & T.	42½	44	Do pfd.	108	110
...pfd.	91	95	Uni. Dry G.	20	...
...Coast.	43	46	Do pfd.	67	73
...rillard	180	185	U. S. C. I.		
...pfd.	113¾		Pipe	24	25
...a & E.	12½	15½	Do pfd.	47½	49
...bone-M.	55	65	J. S. Red &		
...pfd.	94	99	Ref.	...	...
...Steel			U. S. Realty	39	40
...	97¼	98½	U. S. Rubber		
...teel Car			1st pfd.	108	109
...	104	106	Va. Chem. pf	111	114
...Svc. of			Va. Coal &		
...	119	121½	Coke	63¾	65
...silver.	4¼	4¾	Va. Ry. & P.	46	48
...pfd.	4½	5	West. Md.	31½	32
...l. Spg.			Westing. El.		
...	98	100	pfd	78	80
...ng 1st			Weyman &		
...	42	42½	Brutton	205	...
...2d pfd.	42¼	43	Do pfd.	111	114½
...Roe.			Wis. Central	38½	39

...TRANSACTIONS

	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
...non	115	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾
...tuck	1,790	35	36½	35	35½
...Lake	79	6½	6½	6¼	6¼
...ary's L'd	1,180	65	65½	64	64
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...ty	820	11¾	11½	10¾	11
...umne	200	39c	39c	39c	39c
...Smelters	4,050	50	50¼	49	50
...o pfd.	375	50	50	49½	50
...Apex	460	3½	3½	3	3
...Con.	685	13½	13¾	13¼	13¼
...Copper.	20	80½	80½	80½	80½
...ria	150	3	3	3	3
...na	650	3¾	3¾	3½	3½
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...ndotte	50	1¾	1¾	1¾	1¾

RAILROADS.

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...& Alb.	20	190¼	190¼	190¼	190¼
...n & Me.	200	34	34	33	33
...o pfd.	2	41	41	41	41
...M. cl. 4.	20	95	95	95	95
...N.H.-H.	96	75¼	75¼	75	75
...d St.R.R.	80	64¼	64½	64¼	64½

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...keag	50	67	67	67	67
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...Sugar	25	116½	116½	116	116
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...& W. I.	310	30¾	30¾	30¼	30½
...o pfd.	100	45	45	45	45
...st. Land.	50	9	9	9	9
...n	10	245	245	245	245
...R. pfd.	5	87	87	87	87
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...lwaine pf.	10	100½	100½	100½	100½
...Tel.	35	132	132½	132	132½
...ngton pf.	5	28½	28½	28½	28½
...d Fruit.	4,777	148	148¼	148	148
...o rights.	608	6¼	6½	6½	6½
...Shoe M.	400	51½	51½	51	51
...o pfd.	50	29	29	29	29
...Steel	2,050	86¾	87¼	86¼	87
...o pfd.	20	117	117	117	117
...ura Oil	8,200	11¼	11¾	11	11

BONDS.

	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
...Am. Tel.-Tel. 4s	90¾	90¾	90¾	90¾	
...Anglo-Fr'ch 5s	94½	94½	94½	94½	
...A., G.-W. I. 5s	77½	77½	77½	77½	
...C., B. & Q. jt. 4s	97½	97½	97½	97½	
...K.C.M.Ry.-B.5s	91	91	91	91	
...Mass. Gas 4½s of 1929	97½	97½	97½	97½	
...do 4½s of 1931	94½	94½	94½	94½	
...Miss. R. Pwr. 5s	81	81	81	81	
...Swift 5s	98½	98½	98½	98½	

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...EN EVENINGS—9 A.M. to 9 P.M.
...aham & Sons, Bankers
...EREST PAID ON SAVINGS ACCOUNTS
...401 WEST MADISON STREET

WHEAT MARKET MAKES FURTHER SHARP ADVANCE

Bears Worried Over Grading; Coarse Grains Move Up with Bad Weather.

Wheat prices scored big gains again yesterday. At the close prices were practically at the top. The action of the grain committee of the board of trade in sending a letter to the inspection department expressing the belief that some of the wheat being received from the southwest should not grade No. 2 hard was regarded as a bull factor in the December. Bulls are objecting to the quality of the wheat being sold to go to store in some cases.

The significance of the action lies in the fact that it shows the poor quality of the winter wheat crop as a whole, when the shorts have such difficulty in getting contract grades in spite of the fact they have made unusual efforts to get the wheat here. Last prices for the day showed prices 2¼@2¾c higher, all months making new high marks for the crop.

Export Sales Are Fair.

The cash demand was fairly good with eastern exporters seeking offerings. Local sales were 175,000 bu, including 150,000 bu for export, and the seaboard reported sales in all positions of 800,000 bu. It is understood that most of the longs in December want delivery in order to fill their sales. If this is the condition, it would take big deliveries to make any impression on prices. Bulls in December are disposed to stand pat. Outside cash markets were firm.

Cables were 2d higher for spot and the reports were of the same tenor, inadequate supplies, urgent milling demand, and extraordinarily freight rates. Boats were reported scarce at the seaboard and only a few charters were reported. Clearances for the week were 8,329,000 bu, compared to 7,916,000 bu a year ago. Daily clearances were 1,180,000 bu.

Receipts Show Decrease.

Weather conditions were more favorable for winter wheat, rain or snow being predicted for most of the belt. In the spring wheat country receipts are showing a moderate falling off, the northwest markets having 997 cars, against 1,366 cars a week ago. Winnipeg had 904 cars; last week 1,109 cars. Primary receipts were 2,322,000 bu. Local arrivals were 56 cars, the weather being too dark for inspection.

Buying of wheat was led by Cutten, Wagner, Slaughter, Logan-Bryan, Hulburd-Warren-Chandler, and Armour. The trade in December was light and without much feature, except that offerings were not heavy.

Big Upturn in Corn.

Higher cables, strength in wheat, and predictions for less favorable weather caused a further big rally in corn. Prices at the finish were 1¾@2¼c higher, the strength in December being a feature, as shorts were frightened on account of the bad weather, which may delay receipts. Cables were 2d up, and there was a good demand abroad. Country sales are moderate, and the cash market was strong, prices being unchanged to 1c up. Local sales were 90,000 bu.

Receipts here were 210 cars, with primary receipts of 1,093,000 bu. Buying was of a general character, local bulls adding to their lines, while there was free commission demand. Selling was scattered. The market was called on to take a lot of profit taking sales early. These sales were absorbed easily, the demand increasing near the close.

Oats Active and Higher.

Oats had a spurt of activity, with sharply higher prices, net gains for the day being ⅞@1⅜c. The strength in other grains caused a big general demand to develop. Cash prices were unchanged to ½c higher and there were sales of 200 000 bu. Receipts here were 85 cars and primary arrivals were 689 000 bu. Clearances were small at 3,000 bu.

Provisions scored big gains for the day. There was heavy buying and selling was scattered. There is a good export demand for meats and the domestic trade is good. Receipts of hogs for the week were 739,700, against 519,200 a year ago in the west. Local receipts were 18,000. Light hogs closed 15c higher, with others 5c higher. Liverpool prices were unchanged except for January lard, which was 6d up. Receipts were 42 cars and shipments were 185 cars.

Barley Market Is Firm.

Rye was dull, with No. 2 quoted at 97c nominal. Part car No. 4 sold at 90½c. Receipts were 5 cars.

Barley ruled firm, with sales of malting at 65c, feed 62@64c, and screenings 53½c. Receipts, 23 cars.

Timothy seed was strong, March selling at $9.25 and cash lots quoted $6 00@8.25 nominal. Clover seed was unchanged with cash lots $10.00@19.00 nominal.

Duluth flax closed 1½@2c higher. Cash on track, $2.12½; December $2.11; May, $2.16½. Receipts, 28 cars. Minneapolis was 1½c higher, with cash on track $2.09½@2.12½. Receipts were 33 cars. Winnipeg closed ⅝c higher. December, $1.87½; May, $1.95⅞. Receipts, 17 cars.

AMERICAN GRAIN MARKETS.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Dec. 24.—WHEAT—Higher; receipts, 628 cars, compared with 412 a year ago. Cash: No. 1 hard, $1.25¾; No. 1 northern, $1.21¼@1.23¾; to arrive, $1.20¾@1.21¾; No. 2 northern, $1.17¾@1.20¾; No. 3 wheat, $1.10⅝@1.16⅝. Futures: December opened $1.21½, high $1.22, low $1.21, closed $1.22; May opened $1.21½@1.22½; high $1.23, low $1.21¼, closed $1.22⅝@1.22¾. FLOUR—Unchanged; shipments, 75,601 bris. BARLEY—60@65c. RYE—92½@93½c. BRAN—$18.00@18.50. CORN—No 3 yellow, 74½@75½c. OATS—No. 3 white, 41¾@42¼c. FLAX—$2.09½@2.12½.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 24.—WHEAT—Cash unchanged to 1c higher; No. 2 hard, $1.14@1.18; No. 3, $1.09@1.17; No. 2 red, $1.18@1.20; No. 3, $1.10@1.17. CORN—1@1½c higher; No. 2 mixed, 68c; No. 3, 67@67½c; No. 2 white, 68c; No. 3, 67½c; No. 2 yellow, 69@69½c; No. 3, 69@... OATS—Unchanged; No. 2 white, 43@44½c; No. 2 mixed, 39@40c. RYE—89@90c. HAY—Unchanged; choice timothy, $11.00@12.00; choice prairie, $9.50@10.00; choice alfalfa, $15.50@16.00. KAFFIR—No. 3 white, 84c. Receipts: Wheat, 208 cars. WHEAT—Futures: May, $1.18¾; July, $1.10½. CORN—December, 69¼c; May, 72¼c; July, 72⅝c.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 24.—WHEAT—Cash higher; track, No. 2 red, $1.25@1.26; No. 2 hard, nominal. CORN—Higher; track, No. 2, 73c; No. 2 white, 75c. OATS—Higher; track, No. 2, 41½@42c; No. 2 white, nominal. RYE—Nominal. FLOUR—Steady; red winter patents, $5.30@5.50; extra fancy and straight, $5.00@5.10; hard winter clears, $3.50@4.00. WHEAT—Futures higher; December, $1.18¼; May, $1.20⅝. CORN—Higher; December, 73c; May, 74⅝c. OATS—Higher; December, 43⅛c; May, 45⅛c.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Dec. 24.—WHEAT—Cash No. 1 northern, $1.23@1.25; No. 2 northern, $1.19@1.22; No. 2 hard winter, $1.18@1.20. CORN—No. 3, 73@74c. OATS—Standard, 45@46c; No. 3 white, 43@43½c; No. 4 white, 42¾@43c. RYE—No. 1, $1.00½. BARLEY—Malting, 65@71c; feed and rejected, 63@66c; Wisconsin, 65@71c. WHEAT—Futures: December, $1.27¼; May, $1.26¾. CORN—December, 73¾c; May, 76¼@76⅝c. OATS—December, 43¼c; May, 47¼c.

DULUTH, Minn., Dec. 24.—LINSEED—Cash, $2.12½@2.13; December, $2.11; May, $2.16½. WHEAT—No. 1 hard, $1.22⅝; No. 1 northern, $1.21⅝; No. 2 northern $1.17⅝@1.18⅝; Montana No. 2 hard, $1.18⅝@1.19⅝; December, $1.21⅛; May, $1.23⅛. DURUM—No. 1, $1.19⅝; No. 2, $1.15⅝@1.16⅝; December, $1.20⅝; May, $1.21⅝. OATS—41¼@41¾c. RYE—93c. BARLEY—58@65c.

TOLEDO, O., Dec. 24.—WHEAT—Cash and December, $1.30¼; May, $1.34⅝. CLOVER SEED—Prime, cash and December, $12.30; February, $12.35; March, $12.15. ALSIKE—Prime, cash and December, $10.30; February, $10.50; March, $10.60. TIMOTHY—Prime, cash and December, $3.82½; February, $3.87½; March, $3.92½.

OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 24.—WHEAT—No. 2 hard, $1.13@1.16; No. 3 hard, $1.08@1.12½. CORN—No. 3 white, 65@66½c; No. 3 white, 64¼@66c; No. 2 yellow, 67¼@68½c; No. 3 yellow, 67@68c; No. 2, 65@66½c; No. 3, 64¼@66c. OATS—No. 3 white, 40½@41½c.

PEORIA, Ill., Dec. 24.—CORN—1@1½c higher; No. 3 white, 67c; No. 5 white, 64c; No. 3 yellow, 69c; No. 4 yellow, 67@68c; No. 4 mixed, 67c; No. 5 mixed, 64@64½c; sample, 51@62½c. OATS—½c higher; No. 3 white, 41¾c.

Liverpool Grain Market.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 24.—WHEAT—Spot No. 1 Manitoba, 13s 2d; No. 2 not quoted; No. 3, 12s 9d; No. 2 hard winter, new, 12s 3d. CORN—Spot American mixed, new, 9s 5½d.

BOARD OF TRADE TRANSACTIONS.

RANGE OF ACTIVE FUTURES.

WHEAT.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing Dec.24.	Closing Dec.23
Dec.	1.25½-¼	1.27½	1.25¼	1.27¾	1.24⅝
May	1.26⅛-26	1.28¼	1.28	1.28¼	1.25⅝
July	1.17-16⅞	1.18¼	1.16⅝	1.18⅝	1.16⅛

CORN.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Dec.24.	Dec.23
Dec.	72-1⅞	73½	71⅝	73⅝	71¼
May	75⅝-½	76¾	75⅛	76⅜	75
July	76-5⅞	77¼	76⅝	77¼	75⅛

OATS.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Dec.24.	Dec.23
Dec.	43	43⅝	43	43⅝	42½
May	46⅜-¼	47¼	46⅛	47¼	45½

PORK.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Dec.24.	Dec.23
Jan.	18.50	19.00	18.50	19.00	18.35
May	18.67½	19.00	18.67½	18.97½	18.50

LARD.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Dec.24.	Dec.23
Jan.	9.62½	9.72½	9.62½	9.72½	9.57½
May	9.95	10.02½	9.95	10.02½	9.90

SHORT RIBS.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Dec.24.	Dec.23
Jan.	9.90	10.10	9.90	10.10	9.80
May	10.27½	10.47½	10.20	10.45	10.15

PRICES AT OUTSIDE MARKETS.

ST. LOUIS.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. close.
Dec. wheat	....	....	....	1.18¼	1.17
May wheat	1.22	1.23¼	1.21⅝	1.23¼	1.21¼
July wheat	1.13	1.14¼	1.13	1.14¼	1.12½
Dec. corn	....	....	....	73	70½
May corn	73⅝	74¾	73½	74⅝	72¾

KANSAS CITY.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. close.
May wheat	1.18¾	1.18½	1.17	1.18⅝	1.16⅝
July wheat	1.09	1.10⅝	1.09⅜	1.10½	1.09¼
Dec. corn	68⅞	69¼	68⅝	69¼	67½
May corn	71⅝	72½	71⅝	72½	70⅝

MINNEAPOLIS.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. close.
Dec. wheat	1.21⅝	1.22	1.21	1.22	1.20¼
May wheat	1.21½	1.23	1.21⅜	1.22⅝	1.20⅝
July wheat	1.20⅝	1.21¼	1.20	1.21¼	1.19⅝

DULUTH.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. close.
Dec. wheat	....	....	....	1.21⅛	1.19
May wheat	1.22	1.23⅛	1.21⅞	1.23⅛	1.21

WINNIPEG.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. close.
Dec. wheat	1.16	1.17¾	1.15⅝	1.17	1.15¼
May wheat	1.20⅝	1.21¼	1.19⅝	1.21¼	1.19
July wheat	1.21	1.22¼	1.20⅝	1.22¼	....
Dec. oats	42¼	42¼	41⅛	41⅞	41⅞
May oats	45	45⅝	44½	45¼	44⅝

TOLEDO.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. close.
Cash wheat	1.29½	1.30¼	1.29½	1.30¼	1.29
Dec. wheat	1.29½	1.30¼	1.29½	1.30¼	1.29
May wheat	1.33⅝	1.34⅝	1.33½	1.34⅝	1.33¼
Dec. corn	....	....	....	75	73¼
May corn	....	....	....	78⅝	77¼
Dec. oats	....	....	....	46¼	45⅝
May oats	....	....	....	49⅝	48⅝

BALTIMORE.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. close.
Dec. wheat	....	....	....	1.33½	....
Year corn	....	....	....	77⅝	....

GRAIN INSPECTION.

	Stand-ard.	No.2 or better.	No.3.	Lower grades.	Total cars.
Wint. wheat	..	80	12	4	96
Spring wheat	..	94	11	6	101
Pacific wheat	..	10	6	1	17
Mixed wheat	..	...	1	...	1
Velvet chaff	..	12	1	1	14
Corn	...	9	10	236	255
Oats	7	3	48	39	96
Rye	...	5	...	...	5
Barley	...	...	18	26	44
Totals	7	203	107	312	629

Loaded from unlicensed elevators—Wheat: No. 2 red, 12 cars; No. 3 hard, 21 cars; No. 1 northern, 42 cars and 69,200 bu; sample grade, 7 cars; No. 2 durum, 1 car; No. 3 velvet chaff, 1 car. Corn: No. 2 yellow, 16 cars; No. 3 yellow, 24 cars; No. 4 yellow, 36 cars; No. 5 yellow, 43 cars; No. 3 white, 16 cars; No. 4 white, 2 cars; No. 3 mixed, 15 cars; No. 4 mixed, 5 cars. Oats: No. 2 white, 1 car; No. 3 white, 8 cars; purified, 16 cars; clipped, 5 cars.

From store—Wheat: No. 1 northern, 68,099 bu; No. 1 velvet chaff, 8,162 bu. Oats: Standard, 32,858 bu.

DAILY BIDS AND OFFERS.

WHEAT.

	Bids High.	Bids Low.	Bids Close.	Offers High.	Offers Low.	Offers Close.
Dec.	1.23	1.23	1.23	1.32¼	1.32	1.32¼
May	1.25	1.23⅞	1.24¼	1.33½	1.31⅞	1.32¼
July	1.16	1.14½	1.15⅝	1.22½	1.21½	1.21⅜

CORN.

	Bids High.	Bids Low.	Bids Close.	Offers High.	Offers Low.	Offers Close.
Dec.	72⅞	72⅜	72⅞	....	....	....
May	75⅝	75⅝	75⅝	78½	77⅝	78⅜
July	76¼	76	76¼	78⅝	78⅝	78⅝

OATS.

	Bids High.	Bids Low.	Bids Close.	Offers High.	Offers Low.	Offers Close.
May	46⅛	46⅛	46⅝	48¼	47⅞	48¼

WEEKLY BIDS AND OFFERS.

	Bids.	Offers.
WHEAT. May	1.18⅝	1.38
CORN. May	73⅝	79⅝
OATS. May	45¼	49

PRIMARY MOVEMENT.

WESTERN.

	Received Wheat.	Received Corn.	Shipped Wheat.	Shipped Corn
Chicago	301,000	380,000	407,000	162,000
Milw'e	43,000	15,000	22,000	6,000
Minn	772,000	15,000	152,000	13,000
Duluth	460,000	......	27,000	......
St. L's	211,000	50,000	83,000	20,000
Toledo	40,000	11,000	83,000	7,000
Detroit	11,000	8,000	10,000	12,000
K. City	261,000	150,000	124,000	43,000
Peoria	7,000	181,000	17,000	43,000
Omaha	184,000	186,000	73,000	73,000
Ind'lis	12,000	97,000	1,000	87,000
Tot. bu.	2,322,000	1,093,000	949,000	416,000
Last year, holiday.				

EASTERN.

	Received Wheat.	Received Corn.	Shipped Wheat.	Shipped Corn
New Y.	487,000	26,000	198,000	1,000
Boston	101,000	1,000	294,000	......
Phil's	191,000	2,000	145,000	......
Baltim'e	293,000	91,000	72,000	......
New Or.	38,000	14,000	......	......
Galveston	84,000	4,000	186,000	......
Npt. News	17,000	......	168,000	......
Tot. bu	1,161,000	138,000	1,063,000	1,000
Last year		Holiday.		

CASH TRANSACTIONS.

FLOUR—Market firm. Quotations:

SPRING WHEAT.

Special brands, wood $6.70	Straight ..$5.80@6.50
Pat., jute.$5.60@5.80	First clr..$4.90@5.10
	Sec. clear.$3.80@3.40

WINTER WHEAT.

Soft winter—	Hard winter—
Patents ..$5.25@5.40	Patents ..$5.30@5.60
Straight .$5.00@5.25	Straight .$5.00@5.15
Clear ....$4.00@4.65	Clear ....$4.40@4.60

RYE FLOUR.

Dark .....$4.60@4.70	White, jt.$5.10@5.30

WINTER WHEAT—Steady. Sales: In store: Mixed lots, 20,000 bu. Track: No. 4 hard, $1.02@1.08; No. 2 hard, $1.25½. Illinois proportional billing: No. 3 red, $1.21@1.24; No. 2 hard, $1.25¾@1.26.

SPRING WHEAT—Steady. Sales: In store: Mixed lots, 10,000 bu. Track: No. 3 northern, $1.17¾; No. 2 northern, $1.23@1.24; No. 1 northern, $1.26@1.26¾; No. 2 velvet chaff, $1.23¾.

CORN—Steady to 1c higher 36@74½c. Sales: In store: Mixed lots, 90,000 bu. Track: Sample grade, 36@63c; No. 5 mixed, 67c; No. 5 yellow, 68¼@68½c; No. 4 yellow, 69¼@70½c; No. 5 white, 67½@68c; No. 4 white, 69c; No. 3 white, 70¼c. Illinois proportional: Sample grade, 43@60c; No. 5 mixed, 67@68c; No. 4 mixed 68¾@69½c; No. 3 mixed, 70½c; No. 5 yellow, 68@69c; No. 4 yellow, 69@70¾c; No. 3 yellow 70⅝c; No. 5 white, 67@68c; No. 4 white, 68¼@70½c; No. 3 white, 70½@71c; No. 2 white, 74½c.

OATS—Firm, ½c higher, 38¼@43½c. Sales: In store: Mixed lots, 200,000 bu. Sample grade, 38¼c; No. 4 white, 41½c; No 3 white 42¼@43½c. Illinois proportional: No. 4 white, 39¼@42c; No. 3 white, 42½@43c.

HOG PRODUCTS—Steady. Cash lots: Mess pork, $16.50@17.00; lard, $9.62½; short ribs, $9.62½@10.25.

BEEF PRODUCTS—Quiet. Beef hams $30.50@31.00; extra mess beef, $16.50@17.00; plate beef, $17.00@17.50; extra plate beef, $17.00@18.00. TALLOW—Choice edible, 9@9½c; prime packers', 8¼@8⅝c; No. 1 packers' 8@8¼c; No. 2 packers', 6¼@7c; No. 1 renderers', 7¾@8¼c; choice country, 8¼@8⅝c; No. 2 country, 6¼@6¾c; oleo stearin, 10¼@10½c; lard stearin, 10½@10¾c; extra oleo, 12¼@12⅝c; oleo stock, 10@11c.

GREASE—Quiet. Brown, 5¾@6c; yellow 7@7½c; choice white, 8¼@8¾c; house, 6¾@7c; B white, 7¾@7½c; A white, 7⅞@8c.

HAY.

HAY—Firm; receipts, 916 tons; shipments, 305 tons. Choice timothy $17.50@18.50; No. 1, $15.00@16.00; No. 2 $13.00@14.00.

STRAW—Rye, $8.50@9.00; oat, $7.00@7.50; wheat, $6.00@7.00.

NEWS AND GOSSIP OF BOARD OF TRADE.

The grading of wheat that is coming from the southwest is causing a good deal of dissatisfaction in some quarters. Thursday there was a meeting of the grain committee, at which protests were heard in regard to the quality of the wheat being graded as No. 2 hard. The majority opinion of the grain committee was to the effect that some of the wheat from the southwest was not of good enough quality to be graded No. 2 hard wheat, and a letter to this effect was sent yesterday to the inspection department. Bulls in December are not disposed to accept the delivery of some of the wheat coming in without a vigorous protest. The quality of the southwestern wheat has averaged poor all through the season so far.

"The year closes with brilliant prosperity news, that suggests record flour consumption for 1915-16," said E. W. Wagner. "Abroad we witness 190,000,000 bu surplus wheat in Australia and Argentina that Europe cannot reach for many weeks. This fact raises the question for a 20c premium for May over July wheat. The popular idea is higher grain prices based on the needs of Europe. We have seen May what advance 30c on heavy receipts, and the question arises as the market advances when the receipts dwindle: Are we to witness a repetition of last January and February, when the wheat need of western Europe ranked above 'buying diplomacy,' and the highest prices since 1898 were recorded?"

While most of the seaboard reports were to the effect the export demand was quiet, there were reports finally of about 800,000 bu wheat worked. These sales included a little from Chicago, about 150,000 bu. Local shippers report a good demand from eastern exporters who want the wheat to fill sales. Shipments from Chicago posted yesterday were 407,000 bu. In the last two days about 600,000 bu has been sold from Chicago. That exporters should be willing to take wheat at present prices is indicative of a strong situation in the December, especially if there is to be any difficulty in current receipts making contract grade. The difficulty in this respect is that there is little choice wheat with which to blend the lower grades.

Provisions bulls believe there is a strong situation developing in that market. The main grounds for the bullish sentiment are the much higher prices prevailing for corn and oats, the lack of accumulation of stocks of products during the seasonable period of accumulation. Packers have not been able to build up any big stocks of products, so there is little hedging pressure. Hog weights show a light average. The purchases of certain kinds of meats for the Belgians keep the stocks light and the demand shows no diminution. Prices are not regarded as high at the present time and grain houses have been big buyers in the last few days.

December wheat showed no weakness yesterday, and sorts were increasingly nervous at times. At the close the discount under the May was ⅝c, against a 1c discount the previous night. Exporters and several local longs are supposed to be still long December wheat. A seaboard house is credited with being long between 2,000,000 and 3,000,000 bu. It is understood this amount is needed to fill contracts. There are several local longs having lines of 300,000 bu or more. James A. Patten sold out the last of his December wheat several days ago.

Outside markets were strong on cash corn as a result of the less favorable weather conditions. Ware-Leland had a Kansas City wire saying: "Corn strong here, 1½c up. Orders from Iowa and northern sections numerous. Weather bad, with rain, snow, or sleet in the west." Car shortage is a factor in corn and shipments are still of moderate proportions. Omaha, Peoria, and St. Louis cash markets were firm.

Export clearances from North America for the week, as reported by Bradstreet's, with comparisons, follow:

	This wk.	Last wk.	Last yr.
Wheat and flour	8,329,000	10,288,000	7,916,000
Corn, bu	237,000	591,000	526,000

Total exports since July 1, wheat and flour, 195,000,000 bu, compared with 189,366,000 bu a year ago. Total corn, 5,868,000 bu, compared with 5,847,000 bu a year ago.

Cash corn prices were strong here, and there was a fair shipping demand. Oats also were strong, and prices were bolstered by a better shipping demand. Offerings from the country of both corn and oats are not heavy. Shipping sales were 175,000 bu wheat, 90,000 bu corn, and 200,000 bu oats.

Argentine shipments for the week, with comparisons, follow:

	This wk.	Last wk.	Last yr.
Wheat, bu	480,000	208,000	48,000
Corn, bu	2,075,000	2,703,000	3,851,000
Oats, bu	......	300,000	......
Flax, bu	461,000	445,000	331,000

Argentine visible supply of wheat this week increased 184,000 bu, while corn decreased 391,000 bu. Comparative totals follow:

	This wk.	Last wk.	Last yr.
Wheat	1,840,000	1,656,000	200,000
Corn	7,429,000	7,820,000	7,000,000

Shorts in December corn were frightened by the continued strength in the market, and the forecast for bad weather caused a good deal of buying, as it will interfere with receipts here.

Receipts inspected yesterday: Wheat, 56 cars; corn, 210 cars; oats, 55 cars; rye, 5 cars, and barley, 23 cars. Hogs for Monday, 42,000 head and 185,000 head for all next week.

The Argentine correspondent of Clement-Curtis cabled: "Wheat threshing is progressing through the big wheat sections. The present outlook is for a normal crop of corn."

Wheat charters were reported of one cargo to French ports from the Atlantic seaboard at 51¾c per bu. Even at the high prices boats are sparingly offered.

Duluth stocks of wheat increased 2,058,000 bu for the week, and Minneapolis stocks increased 1,860,000 bu.

Packing of hogs at Chicago from Nov. 1 to date have been 1,644,000, an increase over a year ago of 448,000.

Brokers who usually act for the big mills were buyers of May wheat at Minneapolis yesterday.

Indian reports said there was continued apprehension over the prospects for the coming crop.

Julius Barnes, the Duluth and New York exporter, was a visitor on change yesterday.

Sales to go to store yesterday were 150,000 bu wheat.

BAROMETER OF WHEAT PRICES FOR CHICAGO.

December closed:	
Friday, Dec. 24	$1.27⅞
Thursday, Dec. 23	1.24⅝
Net gain for the day	.02¾
Saturday, Dec. 26, 1914	1.27⅝
May closed:	
Friday, Dec. 24	1.28⅛
Thursday, Dec. 23	1.25⅝
Net gain for the day	.02½
Saturday, Dec. 26, 1914	1.30⅝
Clearances—	Bushels
Friday, Dec. 24	1,189,000
Saturday, Dec. 26, 1914	527,000
Visible supply:	
Monday, Dec. 20	57,215,000
Monday, Dec. 21, 1914	75,106,000

Yearly range:

	Dec. High.	Dec. Low.		May High.	May Low.
1914	$1.27⅝	$ .79¼	1914	$1.67	$ .84⅝
1913	.90⅝	.81⅝	1913	1.00	.86⅝
1912	1.11	.83⅛	1912	1.02⅞	.88⅝
1911	1.02½	.86⅝	1911	1.19	.94¼
1910	1.01⅞	.88⅝	1910	1.15	.84⅝

SMALL RECEIPTS OF LIVE STOCK

Country Sellers Stay Home; Hogs Rise; Cattle Firm; Muttons Steady.

LIVE STOCK QUOTATIONS.

HOGS.

Bulk of sales	$5.90@6.40
Common to good mixed	5.90@6.10
Fair to choice medium weights	6.15@6.35
Lightweights	6.05@6.20
Fair to choice heavy butchers	6.35@6.53
Fair to fancy heavy shipping	6.40@6.55
Select 260@300 lb packing	6.35@6.40
Boars, according to weight	2.50@3.50
Pigs	5.00@5.50
Stags	6.15@6.50

CATTLE.

Beef steers, good to choice	$8.50@10.25
Beef steers, fair to good	7.00@ 8.50
Yearlings	8.25@10.25
Beef cows	4.50@ 7.00
Heifers, fair to selected	4.75@ 8.50
Canners and cutters	3.50@ 4.50
Good to prime vealers	8.00@ 9.85
Bulls	4.50@ 7.00

SHEEP.

Western wethers	$6.00@6.75
Yearlings	6.25@8.00
Western ewes	5.10@6.15
Bucks	4.50@5.00
Native lambs	7.35@9.50
Fed western lambs	7.40@9.50
Cull lambs	6.25@7.25

Live stock receipts at Chicago yesterday were scarcely large enough to establish a market, indicating that country shippers preferred to stay home rather than to sojourn away to make a dollar or two. Hog receipts were posted at 17,000 head, cattle at 1,000, and sheep at 3 000 head.

Hog prices averaged largely 10c higher than on Thursday and pigs sold at an upturn of 25c, both shippers and packers having orders to fill and willingly paying the appreciated values for supplies wanted. Hogs topped at $6.55 and the bulk sold at $5.90@6.40. Final prices made hogs 25@35c lower than a week ago, with the average for six days $6.35, the lowest weekly average made since February, 1912.

Cattle Quiet and Firm.

Cattle trade was quiet, but the market had a firm undertone and offerings found a ready outlet. Final prices made steers steady with a week ago, earlier recessions having been recovered. Cows and heifers were 15@25c lower than a week ago and calves showed a loss of 25@50c.

Sheep and lamb values showed little change for the day, standing 25c lower than a week ago for sheep and unchanged to 25c higher for lambs. Best lambs included in the offerings sold at $9.50.

Hog purchases for the day: Armour & Co., 800; Swift & Co., 2,000; Sulzberger & Sons, 500; Morris & Co., 2,800; Anglo-American, 1,000; Hammond, 2,500; Roberts & Oake, 1,500; Western Packing company, 1,200; Miller & Hart, 1,000; Independent Packing company, 400; Brennan Packing company, 500; butchers, 2,000; shippers, 6,000; total, 22,200; left over 1,500.

Movement at Chicago Yards.

Receipts—	Cattle.	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
Thursday, Dec. 23	3,228	993	51,916	5,179
Friday, Dec. 17	3,930	506	49,483	8,518
Friday, Dec. 24	1,000	300	17,000	3,000
Shipments—				
Thursday, Dec. 23	1,163	.....	9,847	1,038
Friday, Dec. 17	1,027	.....	7,555	249
Friday, Dec. 24	500	.....	6,000	.....

There will be no trading in the live stock market today. Stock received will be unloaded, yarded and fed, but none will be sold, weighed or shipped.

Live Stock Markets Elsewhere.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 24.—HOGS—Receipts, 6,300; 5@10c higher; bulk, $6.15@6.45; heavy, $6.35@6.50; packers and butchers, $6.30@6.45; light, $6.00@6.27½; pigs, $5.00@6.00. CATTLE—Receipts, 400; steady. SHEEP—Receipts none; steady; lambs, $8.25@8.90.

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill., Dec. 24.—HOGS—Receipts, 8,000; steady; pigs and lights, $5.75@6.35; mixed and butchers, $6.15@6.50; good heavy, $6.50@6.55. CATTLE—Receipts, 600; steady. SHEEP—Receipts, 700; steady; lambs, $8.00@9.25.

OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 24.—HOGS—Receipts, 5,800; strong; heavy, $6.25@6.40; light, $6.15@6.40; pigs, $5.25@6.25; bulk of sales, $6.27@6.35. CATTLE—Receipts, 600; strong. SHEEP—Receipts, 1,200; strong; lambs, $8.40@8.85.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Dec. 24.—HOGS—Receipts, 3,200; 5@10c higher; top, $6.45; bulk, $6.20@6.35. CATTLE—Receipts, 300; steady. SHEEP—Receipts, 500; strong to 10c higher; lambs $8.00@8.85.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Dec. 24.—HOGS—Receipts, 7,000; 10@15c lower; range, $5.50@6.10; bulk, $5.70@5.80. CATTLE—Receipts, 900; steady. SHEEP—Receipts, 3,600; steady; lambs, $3.00@8.65.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., Dec. 24.—CATTLE—Receipts, 800; steady. HOGS—Receipts, 5,000; 5@10c higher; top, $6.35; bulk, $6.00@6.30. SHEEP—Receipts, 200; steady.

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PRODUCE MARKETS.

EGGS.

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—Market weak, with prices of fresh showing further losses of 1@1½c, while cold storage lots were reduced ½c a dozen. Receipts, 2,499 cases. Quotations:

Firsts 27c	Dirties ....16@19c
Ordinary firsts ......25½@26c	Checks ....16@18c
Miscellaneous, cases returned ....21@25½c	Storage, April .....20½@21½c
Do, cases included .....22@27c	Extras— Fillers 24c
	Cartons 25c

BUTTER.

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—Trade slow and market weak at unchanged prices. Receipts, 5,580 tubs. Quotations:

Extras 33½c	Extra to grocers—
Extra firsts .....31@33c	Tubs 36c
Firsts ....26@30c	Prints 37c
Seconds ....23@24½c	Packing stock..19@20c

CHEESE.

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—Offerings selling freely at firm prices. Quotations:

Young Americas..17½c	Daisies, double....17¼c
Twins 16¼c	Limburger ..15½@16½c
Longhorns 17¼c	Swiss ....20@25c
Daisies 17½c	Brick 17½c

POULTRY.

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—Live fowls and geese sold ½c lower. Dressed poultry held steady. Receipts, 3 cars and 336 coops. Quotations:

Live—	Dressed—
Fowls 11c	Chickens ......13½@15c
Springs 12½c	Roosters ....10@10½c
Roosters 9½c	Ducks ....16@17c
Turkeys ....16@17c	Turkeys ....22@23½c
Ducks ....13@14c	Geese ....12@15c
Geese ....11@12c	

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 24.—POULTRY—Unchanged; except springs, 12@13c; turkeys, 20½@21c.

VEGETABLES.

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—Potatoes sold on a steady basis, with receipts of 19 cars. Green vegetables were weakly held and in limited demand. Quotations:

Beets, sacks ..85@40c	doz ....$1.00@1.50
Carrots, tubs 50c	Cabbage, brls..60@75c
Celery,Mich.75c@$1.25	Potatoes, bu....70@80c
Pea beans..$3.70@4.00	String beans,
Red kidney.$4.65@4.75	hampers .$2.00@4.50
Brown Swedish ..$4.00@4.50	Sweet potatoes, Ill., brls..$1.25@2.25
Cauliflower, cases ....$1.50@2.25	Tomatoes, Cubans $4.00
Cucumbers,	

FRUITS.

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—Trade quiet and market steady. Quotations:

Lemons, cases ....$3.75@4.25	Do, boxes ..$1.50@2.25
	Grapefruit, cases ....$2.00@3.50
Oranges, cases ....$2.00@3.50	Cranberries,
Apples, brls.$2.00@4.00	brls ....$7.50@10.00

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—EVAPORATED APPLES—Dull. PRUNES—Easy. APRICOTS AND PEACHES—Quiet. RAISINS—Steady.

VEALS.

50@60 lbs.......9@10c	90@100 lbs.......11@12½c
60@90 lbs.......10@11c	125@160 lbs.........7@8c

SOUTH WATER STREET BEEF.

	No. 1.	No. 2.	No. 3.
Loins	24	18	11
Ribs	17	18	9
Rounds	11½	11	9
Chucks	10½	9	8
Plates	8	7½	6

OILS.

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—OILS—Wholesale prices on carbon and other oils: Standard white, 10½c; perfection, 10½c; headlight, 175, 10½c; elaine, 19½c; V. M. P. naphtha, 15c; linseed oil, 66c; boiled, 67c; turpentine, 61c; summer black oil, 7c; winter black oil, 7½c; gasoline, 15½c; gas machine gasoline, 25c. These prices apply to barrel lots f. o. b. Chicago.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—COTTONSEED OIL—Sales, 8,400 brls. Prime crude, 7.27@7.33; prime summer yellow spot and December, 8.40c; January, 8.41c; February, 8.40c; March, 8.41c; April, 8.44c; May, 8.50c; June, 8.52c; July, 8.62c. Prime winter yellow and summer white, 8.50c.

OIL CITY, Pa., Dec. 24.—Credit balances, $2.15; runs, 53,705 brls; average, 78,759 brls. Shipments, 29,959 brls; average, 54,529 brls.

METALS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—COPPER—Strong; electrolytic, $21.25@22.00. IRON—Steady and unchanged. The metal exchange quotes lead offered at $5.40; spelter not quoted. TIN—Firm; $39.00 bid. At London: COPPER—Spot, £84 10s; futures, £84 12s 6d; electrolytic, £108. TIN—Spot, £168; futures, £169. ANTIMONY—£125. LEAD—£29 5s. SPELTER—£90.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 24.—LEAD—Firm at $5.35@5.40. SPELTER—Firm at $17@17.50.

NEW INCORPORATIONS.

NEW CORPORATIONS WERE LICENSED yesterday by the secretary of state at Springfield, as follows:

American Grocers Sundries company, Chicago; capital, $2,500; incorporators, William Kozlowski, Gustave Neuberg, Otto L. Kolar.

C. A. Roberts company, Chicago; capital, $100,000; incorporators, Charles A. Roberts, James A. Warren, Elmer E. Beach.

Chicago Motor and Vibrator, Chicago; capital, $25,000; incorporators, Charles Wood, Joseph Burke, John W. Marshall.

Chicago School of Chiropody, Chicago; capital, $5,000; incorporators, R. J. Maurer, G. A. Ward, F. B. Hubbell.

Cohen Bros. Furniture company, Chicago; capital, $20,000; incorporators, George B. Cohen, John E. Anderson, James M. Habbitt.

Drager Electric company, Winnebago; capital, $5,000; incorporators, F. C. Drager, Emma Drager, Richard R. Peterson.

John J. Calnan, Chicago; capital, $5,000; incorporators, John J. Calnan, Agnes Calnan, Daniel L. Madden.

National Export and Import association, Chicago; capital, $15,000; incorporators, L. L. Mayer, Dorothy Rosenthal, Albert Schaffnery.

National Pulley and Manufacturing company, Chicago; capital, $100,000; incorporators, William D. Bradfield, Francis M. Kauffman, Albert H. Miller, M. J. Bates, James M. Walt.

The R. W. Furnas Ice Cream company of Illinois, Danville; capital, $6,000; incorporators, Robert W. Furnas, J. M. Antrim, William R. Griffith, Isaiah G. Furnas, Everett Flaugher.

The Watrous company, Chicago; capital, $100,000; incorporators, Earl G. Watrous, Victor B. Scott, John W. Tauchen.

The Town Record, Cicero; capital, $1,000; incorporators, John Christenson, Robert H. Muir, Emil Capouch, Stanislaw W. Garenski.

U. S. Cicero Cleaning and Manufacturing company, Chicago; capital, $50,000; incorporators, Maurice Gattet, Adolph Salzman, Henrietta Gattet, Fred Salzman.

CHANGES.

Ickes-Braun Mill company, Chicago; capital stock increased from $3,000 to $12,000.

Western Electric company, Chicago; capital stock decreased from $25,000,000 to $10,000.

Stock Yards Serum company, East St. Louis; name changed to Universal Serum company; increase in directors.

CAMERAS, KODAKS, ETC.

SPOT CASH FOR ALL MAKES OF KODAKS, Lenses, Cameras, and Motion Picture Cameras. Also liberal loans on same at low rate of interest. DAVID STERN CO., 1047 W. Madison-st. In business since 1885.

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BARTER AND EXCHANGE.

EXCHANGE ELECTRIC CAR, LEATHER top, new batteries, for gas car, machinery, or what? KOENER, 1141 Wolfram-st.

VALUABLE REAL LACES FOR AUTO, DIAmonds, real estate. Address H 498, Tribune.

WILL EXCHANGE TYPEWRITER FOR KOdak, gun, Victrola. Address F 449, Tribune.

3 PERFECT TYPEWRITERS—FOR PIANO, printing, anything. Address H 332, Tribune.

PATENTS—PATENT ATTORNEYS.

PATENTS, TRADEMARKS—SEND FOR MY free book, "How to Get Them." It's full of information you should know. Hours 8:30 a. m. to 5:30 p. m.; Monday evening until 9. JOSHUA R. H. POTTS, 8 S. Dearborn-st., Suite 1112.

INVENTIONS FILED IN PATENT OFFICE on partial payment plan; free search; send for free book. MILO B. STEVENS & CO., 33 W. Jackson-blvd., Chicago. 635 F-st., Washington. Established 1864.

LEGAL NOTICES.

PITTSBURGH COAL COMPANY.
Pittsburgh, Pa., December 22, 1915.
The Board of Directors has this day declared a dividend of One and One-quarter (1¼) per cent on the Preferred stock, payable January 25th, 1916, to stockholders of record at the close of business January 15th, 1916.
F. J. LeMOYNE, Secretary.

OFFICE DEVICES.

BEST OFFER TAKES 1 EDISON DICTATING machine, 1 Reproducer, 1 Shaver, and 18 records; all in first class condition; latest models. Phone MR. LEVINE, Harrison 5326.

WANTED—SECOND HAND STENCIL CUTting machine for paper stencils. Address J F 180, Tribune.

PARCEL POST AND EXPRESS.

TEXAS PECANS—FOUR POUNDS, ONE dollar; prepaid in 5th zone; beyond, add 25c. Texas Sales Co., Box Z, Corsicana, Texas.

WANTED—STRICTLY FRESH COUNTRY eggs, wholesale trade; state prices. FRITZ FREDRICKS, 385 Loomis-st., Chicago, Ill.

DETECTIVE AGENCIES.

DEVEREUX DETECTIVE AGENCY, ESTABLISHED 1885. Celebrated for quick, successful results in all lines. Confidential correspondence solicited. Advice absolutely free. Office 530 Newport-av., Chgo. Ph. Graceland 8149.

BOOKS AND MAGAZINES.

BOOKS WANTED—CASH FOR LIBRARIES AND SECOND HAND BOOKS. POWNER'S BOOK STORE, 37 N. Clark-st. Phone Cen. 2911.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

Bookkeepers and Clerks.

TRAFFIC MAN.

Young man, 26 yrs., 8 yrs. R. R. exp., thoroughly familiar with rates, all territories, classifications, claims, I. C. C. rules, desires position with industrial or mercantile concern. Would make good assistant. Now employed, but seeks position with greater opportunities. Moderate salary. Address G 343, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—BOOKKEEPER OR FOREIGN CORRESPONDENT; CAN CONDUCT ENGLISH, FRENCH, AND GERMAN CORRESP.; 12 YRS.' EXP.; ONLY INTERESTED IN STEADY POSITION WITH FUTURE. ADDRESS H 256, TRIBUNE.

SITUATION WTD—BY ONE WHO IS CONsidered conscientious, persevering, alert; if these merits are essential, with competency, allow me an interview; 10 yrs. office experience in credit and bookkeeping department; age 27. Address H 445, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—BRIGHT, EDUCATED young man, 22, employed, desires position in export department; can take dictation in English and transcribe it into Spanish; bookkeeping and general office experience; A1 refs. Address H 251, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—YOUNG MAN, AGE 25 10 yrs. R. R. clerical exp.; one office 9 yrs.; good penman; A1 ref.; desires connection in traffic dept. of commercial concern. Address H L 518, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—YOUNG MAN, 26, AS asst. bkkpr., general office clerk, or interpreter of Slavic languages; practical experience; excellent references. Address K 443, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—EXPERIENCED BOOKkeeper, accountant; good on credits, collections, systems; take full charge of office; 15 years' practical experience; married; 34 years of age. Address E L 509, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—EXPERT BOOKKEEPer will post small sets books, close and reopen, draw up statements; reasonable. Address H 248, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—CREDIT MAN; MARried; age 38; 7 years each with present and previous employer; best references. ERLE STEEL, Canal 4950. Address G 282, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—YOUNG MAN, 21 YRS.; high school education, 4 yrs. office exp.; no objection to leaving city. Address G 572, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—A1 BOOKKEEPER, cashier, gen office man; 15 yrs.' exp.; age 35; best refs.; sal reas. Address H 95, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—FOR $2.50 TO $3.50 A WK. expert accountant will keep your books, posting them as often as required; balanced monthly. Phone Wentworth 1102.

SITUATION WTD—BY A THOROUGH BUSIness man, capable to fill any position from bookkeeper to manager; 26 years' salesmanship exp. Address H 377, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—RELIABLE YOUNG married man with H. S. education and some selling experience; perm.; refs. Address G 424, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—YOUNG MAN, CONNECTed with toilet paper mfg., desires change; office or salesman. Address H 127, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—CLERICAL, BY YOUNG man of 22; five years' experience and good at figures; references. Address G 65, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—EDUCATED, KNOWING English, French, Italian, Greek. MAGGIAR, 534 N. State.

SITUATION WTD—SPANISH, MOTHER tongue, 25, commercial corresp., also teach language for room and board. 215 E. Erie-st.

SITUATION WTD—WITH PROSPECTS FOR advan.; age 21; 3 yrs. cler. exp. Address H 96, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—AS HOTEL CLERK OR janitor; two years' experience. Address G 106, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—YOUNG MAN, 25, TEMperate, good education and habits, A1 penman; ref. Address H 492, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—CHRISTIAN YOUNG man, office asst., typist, shipping and stock clerk; take charge. Address H 428, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—YOUNG MAN, EXP. IN factory costs, pay roll, and analysing detail costs. Address H 281, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—SHIPPING CLERK; 28; exp.; ref. furnished. Address H 581, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—A1 BKKPR., STENOG. beginner; ref. Address DD T 316, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—COMMERCIAL HOUSE, young man, 20; ref. Address H 444, Tribune.

Accountants and Auditors.

SITUATION WTD—ACCOUNTANT, AUDITor; 11 years' experience in large corporation; 30 years old; good appearance, education, and habits; capable, tactful, of sound judgment and accustomed to meeting business men; A1 references; future essential. Address F D 176, Tribune.

EXPERT ACCOUNTANT.

Auditor, Credits, Collections; 12 years experience, wholesale, retail, mail order; able executive; reliable; A1 refs.; age 30; married; moderate salary. Address H 459, Tribune.

Expert Cost Accountant,

Auditor and systematizer desires permanent connection with firm needing services of a high grade, experienced man. Address H 117, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD — BY COST ACCOUNTant, 7 yrs. prac. exp.; imp. mfg.; also good bookkeeper; married; age 29. Address H 496, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—EXPERT ACCOUNTANT, who will personally install and supervise your office and plant systems, reducing expenses. Address G 404, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—I AUDIT, SYSTEMATIZE, open, close, keep small sets, anywhere, reas. BALDWIN, 5550 Maryland-av. Midway 9455.

SITUATION WTD—CALL HARR. 276 AT once. Get your books written up NOW, before the rush. AUDITS, SYSTEMS, etc., reas.

SITUATION WTD—ACCOUNTANT, EXpert systems, auditing; part time if desired; refs. Address H 272, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD — AUDITS, SYSTEMS, books balanced. Phone Hyde Park 7841.

SITUATION WTD—AUDITS, SYSTEMS, books opened, closed. Phone Graceland 1605.

Executives and Managers.

MAIL ORDER LUMBER EXPERT AND EXECUTIVE.

A practical, technical specialist. Fully posted on millwork, doors, windows, and connecting lines of building supplies, including wall boards, roofing, screens, built in furniture, etc. A thorough knowledge of the mail order building game means catalogue copy that listens like sound, live timber. Personal contact with the goods of different concerns developed a well seasoned product, against which superficial theory shows up weak and green. Snappy selling ideas, which makes the average lumber correspondence—mail order, wholesale, or otherwise—look like dry sawdust, fit only for fuel. A steady grind of several years built up this invaluable experience. Now ready to step into a good sized job, backed by this record. Age about 35. Address G 102, Tribune.

GENERAL MANAGER, SALES MANAGER, OR Special Representative.

Aggressive, broad gauged man, 38 years old, with wide and very successful sales [also operating] experience, whose sales of steel products run into "hundreds of thousands" per annum, open for connection with successful and progressive Co., preferably one catering to the large trade in Central West; my credentials and record will be satisfactory; liberal compensation expected. Address H 566, Tribune.

WANT OPPORTUNITY

AIM personally efficient co-operation.

RESULTS—Not excuses, to be produced.

REFERENCES worth while.

SALARY, hours, location secondary considerations.

EXPERIENCE—Ground to executive of $500,000 gross annual business.

Age 32, married.
Any proposition confidential.
Address H 228, Tribune.

Exceptional Salesmanager.

My record shows success where other salesmen failed. It shows promotion to sales manager of the highest priced office machine made. Am a success in this position and am looking for a bigger one. Age 35; married; good appearance; forceful; one who gets what he goes after. Address G 248, Tribune.

GEN. OR OFFICE MANAGER

Eight years with large mfg. company as secretary; exp. in financial, sales and purchasing depts.; competent executive and systematizer; ability to employ and develop help; age 35; married; best ref.; moderate salary. Address H 230, Tribune.

EXTREMELY AGGRESSIVE

Young mail order executive wants new connection in Advertising Department mail order house or other corporation; university trained; will leave city. Address E L 517, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—DO YOU LACK ORGANIzation or system in your sales or public departments, or does your business lack enthusiasm or progressive ideas? Let me demonstrate what I can do. Address J H 328, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—EXPERIENCED SALESman and mail order man desires position with good house; compensation may be determined after reasonable try out if preferable. Address H 109, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—FOREMAN; IS ABLE TO manage a whole plant, in manufacturing leather goods, as follows: Collar bags, dressing roll, card set, etc.; good estimator, designer and patternmaker; long years' experience. Address G 467, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—OFFICE MANAGER, correspondent, or bkkpr.; 15 yrs.' exp.; now empl.; good reason making change. Address H 130, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—AS EXECUTIVE; COLlege man, age 30, now selling; had 8 years' active exp. in buying, selling, correspondence, etc.; best refs. Address G 322, Tribune.

Salesmen, Solicitors, Etc.

SITUATION WTD—SALESMAN; AGE 34; reliable concern only. Address G 336, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—SALESMAN, 25; 5 YRS. exp.; city and road; ref. Address H 135, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—SPECIALTY SALESMAN, 10 years' successful sales exp. with firms of national reputation. Address G 469, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—STOCK SALESMAN; reputable; commission. Address G 588, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—YOUNG MAN WITH 3 yrs. ex., wishes work in city. Address D C 554, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—COFFEE SALESMAN; exp.; best of ref. Address H 364, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—EXP. SALESMAN OF builders' hardware. Address H 384, Tribune.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

Salesmen, Solicitors, Etc.

MANUFACTURER.

With businesslike proposition, desiring representation in St. Louis and vicinity by a reliable and thoroughly capable gentleman with unlimited selling experience, familiar with conditions and in touch with all classes of trade at that point. Please address PERSONAL, 4117 Hartford-st., St. Louis, Mo.

SALESMAN,

Possessing Ford runabout, is open for position; prefer territory between Chicago and Milwaukee; salary or commission or both; age 33; good appearance, business experience, ambitious; no reasonable offer refused; can make investment up to $1,000; give full details in first letter. Address Advertiser, 1401 Elmwood-av., Evanston, Ill. Evanston 3607.

SITUATION WTD—I DESIRE TO CONNECT Jan. 1st with high class reputable house where the possibilities for a top notch salesman are practically unlimited; am 28; earning capacity past five years $4,000 to $6,000; believe I can get to the top in any sales organization where tact, personality, and persistent effort count. Address H 526, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—SUCCESSFUL AND RESPONSIBLE SALESMAN OF 32 DESIRES CHANGE; WIDE INDUSTRIAL EXPERIENCE AND ABILITY TO MASTER YOUR LINE; SPLENDID BUSINESS TRAINING; HIGHEST PERSONAL, TRADE, AND BANK REFERENCES; SALARY, COMMISSION, OR BOTH. ADDRESS H 427, TRIBUNE.

SITUATION WTD—A SPANISH-AMERICAN salesman possessing Spanish and English thoroughly desires traveling position in South America; 8 years' exp.; good appearance and educ. Would consider manage office to secure Latin-American trade. Address H 319, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD — EXP., HIGH GRADE salesman; married; age 28; now employed; efficient; highest credentials; desires new connection; vic. Chi.; or what have you? Book schemers, save your time. Address H 103, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—SALESMAN, ABILITY to sell anything, 15 years' experience calling on manufacturers, jobbers, and retailers; services offered to concern of standing; travel any territory; highest credentials and record. Address H 557, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD — ENERGETIC, REsourceful traveling specialty salesman, A1 selling ability, good address, personality, and appearance, with 10 yrs.' exp., age 30, single, temp.; gilt edge refs. Address L H 16, Tribune.

DRUG SALESMAN.

Young man, 25, connected with retail drug 10 yrs.; some advertising exp. I can produce. Address H 114, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD — ENERGETIC, REsourceful traveling specialty salesman; city or road; A1 selling ability; good address, personality, and appearance; 12 years' experience; age 32; references. Address H 391, Tribune.

CITY SALESMAN,

Age 32; 8 yrs. present firm; thoroughly acquainted; best ref. Address H 549, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—SALESMAN; HAS SOLD advertising, printing, Dictaphones; work on expenses and commission. Address H 599, Tribune.

CREW MGR.-SALESMAN,

for high grade line; exp. handling men; have office. Address H 569, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—COLLEGE GRAD. WITH year's selling exper., desires connection with house promising a future. Address G 546, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—YOUNG MAN WHO HAS been selling tailors to the trade for 3 years, desires line selling to this trade. Address H 89, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—YOUNG MAN; SALES experience; all branches; wishes to connect with reputable house; best of refs. Address H 100, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—SALESMAN, SOLICITOR, with reliable firm; 3 years' exp.; aggressive, tactful, reliable, and ambitious. Address K 444, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—YOUNG MAN, 24, CITY or road, steady, whol. and retail grocery exp.; now emp.; best refs. Address H 149, Tribune.

Professions and Trades.

Metallurgist and Chemist.

Iron and steel, thoroughly competent to handle any problem in iron and steel business, expert on heat treatment, college trained, native born American. Here's your chance to secure an A1 man. Address H 501, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—AS CHIEF ENGINEER in 300 h. p. plant or larger preferred; technical education; thoroughly experienced in installation operation and maintenance; extensive electrical and refrigerating experience; executive ability; can bring your plant up to its highest efficiency. Address G 535, Tribune.

ATTENTION.

Commercial artist, handling retouching, designing, pen and ink, and wash drawings for mechanical subjects of all kinds; part time or exclusive service if desired. Address G 230, Tribune.

Composing Room Foreman.

Competent executive; thoroughly experienced in publication, general and commercial printing, seeks position; nonunion. Foreman, 409 E. 40th-st., Apt. 6.

ROPE SPLICER.

Young man wants steady position; thoroughly familiar with wire rope splicing and rope; long and short splicing; 8 yrs.' exper. S. S. S., 1620 Maryland-av., Gary, Ind.

SITUATION WTD—AS FACTORY ELECTRICian; good mechanic; 9 years' experience const. and maintenance, alternating or direct current; do not use booze or cigarettes; steady job; state wages. Address L J 6, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—MASTER MECHANIC, Chicago licensed engineer; practical experience installing and operating large refrigerating and power units; used to handling men. Address H 287, Tribune.

PRINTING FOREMAN.

A1 all around printer; halftone and color pressman; compositor and estimator; run Web. Address PRINTER, 8640 S. Carpenter-st.

SITUATION WTD—SURVEYOR, TECHNIcal education; 8 yrs. exp. on R. R., topographical, and construction work, in charge of parties; good draftsman. Address G 421, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—ELECTRICAL ENGINeer, as foreman of plant, taking care of elec. machinery; 15 yrs.' exp. with large elec. concern in East; best refs.; sober and conscientious. Address H 398, Tribune.

EXPERIMENTAL MAN.

with inventive and exec. ability; A1 tool, die maker, 6 yrs. with present Co. Address G 196, Tribune.

MECHANICAL ENGINEER,

Highest qualifications; will design successful special machinery for any purpose. Address B 402, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—DRAFTSMAN, TOPOgraphical or R. R. position; tech. education; 5 yrs.' exp.; interpret difficult notes. Address H 113, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—LAWYER, WIDE EXperience as house attorney, collection manager, and adjuster; familiar with both city and country work. Address G 510, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—CARPENTER AND REpair man, with real estate agents or builders; take flat part compensation; ref. NELSON, 1644 Catalpa-av. Edge. 5343.

SITUATION WTD — BY YOUNG LAWYER as claims, adj., and collection manager; hold state position 10 years; responsible. Address D H 356, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—MECHANICAL EXPERT—19 years shop, drafting room, machinery, and tools. Age 30. Address H 454, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—PRINTING SUPT. OR foreman; 15 years' exp.; highest grade work; reasonable salary. Address G 515, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—STENCILER, PAINTER, exp.; plain and fancy lettering. Address G 380, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—ELECTRICIAN; ARM. winder, rep., maintenance. W. RATZ, 9518 McFarland-av.

SITUATION WTD—FIRST CLASS CYLINder pressman; nonunion. Address H 397, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—ELECTRICIAN; NONunion; married; work any kind. Address H 233, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—EXP. DRAFTSMAN BY Feb. 1st. Leave city. Address A T 431, Tribune.

TRUCK CHAUFFEUR.

2 yrs.' exp.; best ref. Address H 181, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD — CHEMIST; USED TO spectrum analysis; will furnish instruments; best ref. Address H 480, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—CHEMIST, GRADUATE; 5 yrs.' exp. food analysis. Address H 453, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—A1 PAINTER AND PAperhanger, 25 years' exp. Address H 105, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—BY PAINTER AND DECorator; reas.; guar. Lincoln 2998.

SITUATION WTD — DENTIST; EXP.; LIcensed in Illinois. H 495, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD — ARTIST, DESIGNER, letter retoucher; A1. Address H 497, Tribune.

Clubs and Hotels.

SITUATION WTD—FIRST CLASS COLORED chef, cafe or hotel. Ph. Douglas 7007.

Farm and Garden Help.

SITUATION WTD—MIDDLE AGED MAN ON farm; exp.; reliable. Address H 458, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—BY RELIABLE YOUNG man as farm hand. Address H 255, Tribune.

House Servants.

SITUATION WTD—YOUNG, CLEAN CUT Scandinavian, 28, houseman or anything; speaks English and German; references. F. MALTING, 1716 N. Campbell-av.

SITUATION WTD — AS BUTLER, HOUSEman, or valet; during school vacation; Japanese; experienced. NA MA, 2015 Sherman-av., Evanston. Phone Evanston 1859.

SITUATION WTD—HOUSEMAN OR BUTler; exp. in heating plants; honest and clean worker; best refs.; German. Address K 451, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—BUTLER OR HOUSEman; best refs. W. MANSFIELD, 1515 W. Monroe.

SITUATION WTD—JAPANESE STUDENT, going school, 8o. S. fam. pref. Address H 123, Tribune.

A1 BUTLER, HOUSEMAN.

Col. Ref. BARNETT, 503 E. 34th-place.

SITUATION WTD—VALET-BUTLER, BY young man, American college graduate; speak French; best refs. Call Douglas 1507.

Coachmen, Teamsters, Chauffeurs.

SITUATION WTD—EXP. CHAUFFEUR; Belgian; speaks French, English; 4 yrs. in one place; city refs. AUGUST V. BROECK, 2849 N. Marshfield.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

Coachmen, Teamsters, Chauffeurs.

COLORED CHAUFFEUR.

TOTAL ABSTAINER; CAREFUL DRIVER; REPAIR AND DRIVE ALL CARS; CITY REF. RAVEN, 7227.

SITUATION WTD—CHAUFFEUR, REPAIR man; priv. fam.; 8 yrs.' exp.; 2 yrs. last pl.; marr.; ref. DOYLE, 2306 W. Monroe. West 2148.

CHAUFFEUR.

Priv. or truck; 6 yrs. last empl. Ph. Canal 5867.

CHAUFFEUR.

Careful driver; willing do other work; good ref. Phone Haymarket 5403.

SITUATION WTD — CHAUFFEUR; CAN drive any make of car; had 4 yrs. exper.; no bad habits; refs. Address H 68, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD — CHAUFFEUR, 7 YRS. exp.; priv.; single; best ref. Address H 497, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—COOK, CHAUFFEUR OR butler, by Jap; 4 years' experience driving; good cook. Calumet 2583. YEN.

Janitors and Porters.

SITUATION WTD—MARRIED MAN, 30; ANY work; exp. janitor. 323 Dempster-st., Evanston.

SITUATION WTD—JANITOR; GERMAN; good repairer; high references. Ph. Rav. 1556.

Stenographers, Typists, Etc.

SITUATION WTD—YOUNG MAN, STENOgrapher [can operate business phonograph] and sales correspondent, now employed, desires to make change; 3 years' experience as assistant to Advertising and Sales Manager of large concern; position in advertising and sales office preferred, but would consider any connection that offered good promotion possibilities. Ph. Central 7951 or address G 229, Tribune.

EXPERT STENOGRAPHER,

Clerk, or priv. sec.; knows bookkeeping; 9 years' exp.; age 26. Address G 544, Tribune.

Miscellaneous.

SITUATION WTD — BUSINESS, BARN work, farming or other work, with reliable persons interested in practical co-operation; single, 46, able bodied, reliable, sober. Address H 413, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—LIVE YOUNG MAN DEsires to establish himself with a progressive organization; 4 years' business experience; best references. Address H 196, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—YOUNG MAN, OFFICE and sales experience; ready to change position Jan. 1; past record can be closely investigated. Address H 101, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—YOUNG, AMBITIOUS man, mechanically inclined, wishes position in electrical power plant. Address H 465, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—BY RETIRED ENGIneer as watchman where good service will be appreciated; refs. Address H 410, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—GERMAN, 24; 8 YEARS in this country, wants learn a trade. Address H 116, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD — BY EXPERIENCED bartender; reliable German. Ph. Linc. 7172.

SITUATION WTD—HOSPITAL ORDERLY or nurse; exp. Address H 558, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—YOUNG MAN; HONEST; general work; refs. Address H 93, Tribune.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

Bookkeepers and Clerks.

SITUATION WTD — BY A1 BKKPR. AND cashier; operate typewriter; take full charge; highest refs.; bond. Address G 169, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—OFFICE WORK; INTELligent girl, 17; switchbd.; any salary; 2 yrs.' h. s. Address G 185, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—A1 BKKPR. WITH steno. exp.; 5 yrs. Address G 165, Tribune.

Saleswomen, Solicitors, Etc.

SITUATION WTD — AGGRESSIVE TRAVeling saleswoman wishes change after Jan. 1; wide experience in merchandising; well acquainted in middle west; excellent references as to exceptional selling ability. Address D T 299, Tribune.

Domestics and Cooks.

SITUATION WTD—COOK; COL.; HOTEL OR family; soup, meats, pastries, dinner parties. Phone Ravenswood 7227.

SITUATION WTD — FOR GENERAL housework. M. BECKER, 2032 Holly-av.

SITUATION WTD—COMP. COL. MAID; NO washing. Phone Douglas 7476. No. Side.

Professions and Trades.

SITUATION WTD—MANICURIST; GOOD begin.; small sal. Address D T 255, Tribune.

Housekeepers and Caretakers.

SITUATION WTD—HOUSEKEEPER; BOY 6; good cook, small wages; widower or people employed; best ref. GRACE FINK, 230 E. 16th-st.

SITUATION WTD — CAPABLE HOUSEkeeper would exchange work for room. 4000 Ellis-av.

SITUATION WTD — AS HOUSEKEEPER in widower's modern home; no children; Am. woman, 37; neat, reliable. Doug. 5825.

Dressmakers and Seamstresses.

SITUATION WTD—DRESSMAKING; EXpert; all styles; 15 yrs.' exp.; $3. Haymarket 5442.

SITUATION WTD—SUPERIOR MODISTE; suits, gowns; $2.50 day; satisfaction guaranteed. West 4781.

SITUATION WTD—1ST CLASS DRESSMAKer will take work at reas. prices. Drex. 8955.

SITUATION WTD—RESIDENCE, SEAMstress and assist other work. Ph. Doug. 2984.

Nurses and Governesses.

SITUATION WTD—EXP. NURSE, TAKE entire charge; $5. Address G 163, Tribune.

Laundresses and Day Work.

SITUATION WTD — LAUNDRESS TAKES washing, ironing, rough dry work home; curtains 25c pair. 2081 Lincoln. Lincoln 8460.

SITUATION WTD—COLORED LAUNDRESS; day work; cleaning. Kenwood 5791.

SITUATION WTD—HOUSEWORK, LAUNdry, 3 days week. 2115 W. 57th-st.

SITUATION WTD—NEAT LADY WANTS TO take in washings. Phone Seeley 4405.

Stenographers, Typists, Etc.

SITUATION WTD—AS SECRETARY OR corres.; have specialized in college English; 5 yrs.' exp. in sten.-editorial work, handling collections etc.; salary $30; exc. references. Address G 178, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—FIVE YEARS' EXPERIence, stenography and bookkeeping; can operate switchboard; refs. Address F 97, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—YOUNG WOMAN SEEKS secretarial or high grade stenographic employment; broad business experience. Address G 187, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—COMPETENT STENO., dictaphone operator; 5 yrs.' exp. legal; first class references. Address C 587, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—COMPETENT STENOG. and office assist.; 3 yrs.' exp.; H. S. grad. 1st class ref. Address C 586, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—FIRST CLASS STENOG., exp'd., rapid, accur. Address F 75, Tribune.

Miscellaneous.

SITUATION WTD—YOUNG LADY PIANIST in photo play theater; experienced on all makes organs; willing to reside near theater. Telephone Gladys Jarmuth, So. Chi. 3429.

Free Employment Bureau.

SITUATION WTD—FREE EMPLOYMENT. Wanted—Orders from employers for competent help of all kinds. Services absolutely free. Illinois Free Emp. Office. Wabash 8634.

WANTED—MALE HELP.

Stores and Offices.

ACCOUNTANT—

By a firm of Certified Public Accountants, an American born man, not over 35 years of age, who has had practical experience in the auditor's office of a steam railroad and is familiar with all accounting matters pertaining to the balance sheet, operating, income, tariff schedules, etc.; must advise fully in writing as to knowledge of this kind of accounting, also age, present salary, etc. All information will be treated in strict confidence. Address G 93, Tribune.

BOOKKEEPER—HEAD; PREFER ONE EXperienced with Tailor-to-the-Trade; must be competent to take off balances and close books. Splendid chance for promotion to right party. State salary and experience. Address J D 332, Tribune.

CASHIER AND BUSINESS MANAGER—Cash security $1,000 necessary; send references first letter. Detective, Box 109, Santo Domingo.

C. O. D. RECORD CLERK—QUICK AND ACcurate; state particulars and salary desired. Address K 343, Tribune.

FLOORMEN—EXPERIENCED.
CHAS. A. STEVENS & BROS.
WABASH-AV., NORTH OF MADISON.

MANAGER—FOR VAULT DEPARTMENT in connection with bank. Must understand Jewish, Russian, and Polish. Address J C 321, Tribune.

MAN—A MILLINERY CONCERN OPERATing retail stores, desires the services of a young man who is versed in advertising, who also understands millinery. We want a young man who is aggressive, modern, is willing to start at a small salary, and through his abilities increase his value to us. State your age, your experience, and salary. Address F D 431, Tribune.

MAN—YOUNG; TO DO BILLING; UNDERwood machine; refs. required. Apply in person Mon. Greenfield Tap and Die Corporation, 13 S. Clinton-st.

MAN—JEWISH, FOR FOREIGN EXCHANGE department in bank. Must understand Russian and Polish. Address J C 327, Tribune.

MAN—YOUNG, 16 TO 18 YEARS, FOR GENeral office work; good chance for right party. Address J F 186, Tribune.

MAN—YOUNG, EXPERIENCED, FOR KOdak dept.; $12. Address H 289, Tribune.

MOLDERS—MACHINERY; 1 BENCH AND 1 floor molder; near city; open shop; no trouble. Address K 390, Tribune.

OFFICE MANAGER—WITH $500-$600 INvestment. State references, ability. Steady position. Good salary. Address H 575, Tribune.

RENTING MANAGER—RELIABLE, EXPErienced executive; capable taking entire charge dept.; high class North Side pro. offices; mention experience and salary desired. Address J C 128, Tribune.

SALESMEN—EXPERIENCED, SILK.
CHAS. A. STEVENS & BROS.
WABASH-AV., NORTH OF MADISON.

Boys.

BOY—WAGON, TO ASSIST ON LIGHT DElivery truck. ADAMS & INGOTT CO., 3143 Wabash-av.

BOY—BRIGHT, NEAT APPEARING ... boy; live neighborhood Tracoy and ... Address J A 350, Tribune.

WANTED—MALE HELP.

Boys.

BOY—GERMAN-AMERICAN; MUST LIVE at home; to make himself generally useful; apply in own handwriting, stating age, etc. Address J F 216, Tribune.

Professions and Trades.

AUTO TRIMMERS OR TOP BUILDERS—EXperienced men; report ready for work at once. Ford Motor Co., Supt.'s Office, 39th and Wabash.

COATMAKER—FIRST CLASS, FOR DULUTH. Apply HARRINGTON & GOODMAN, Room 501, 105 S. Dearborn-st., Sunday 9 to 12.

CONCRETE BRIDGE AND GRAIN ELEVATOR foremen—Work in middle west; write at once for a personal interview. Address L J 44, Tribune.

COPY MAN—FIRST CLASS, FOR ESTABlished advertising agency; a forceful writer who knows how to present selling advantages in a convincing way, and understands the dressing up of magazine and newspaper copy with effective display; only an experienced man wanted; one who has up to date knowledge of intensive merchandising methods, knows how to plan and lay out an advertising campaign, and has capacity for work; state age, experience, and salary expected. Address L J 24, Tribune.

FOLDER OPERATOR — THOROUGHLY skilled and competent on a varied line of work; who will appreciate steady employment at highest wages; nonunion. Write or apply R. R. DONNELLEY & SONS CO., 731 Plymouth-pl.

FOREMAN—FOR BRASS AND ALUMINUM foundry; must be first class, with best of references; apply at once. Address J J 228, Tribune.

GROCER AND BUTCHER—EXPERIENCED. Address J J 416, Tribune.

LAYER OUT—FIRST CLASS ON LIGHT AND heavy steel plate work. 1695 N. Elston-av.

INSPECTOR—HIGH GRADE MAN FOR INspecting tools; must have had shop experience as toolmaker; permanent job and good pay; state age and places worked. Address J B 377, Tribune.

MACHINISTS — STRICTLY FIRST CLASS PLANER, SCREW MACHINE, BORING MILL, MILLING MACHINE, LATHE HANDS FOR OUT OF TOWN WORK; GOOD WAGES AND BONUS; TRANSPORTATION ADVANCED; STATE 3 LAST REFERENCES. ADDRESS J A 379, TRIBUNE.

MILLINERY DESIGNER — HIGH CLASS; none other need apply. Apply, giving references, to ROBINSON, STRAUS & CO., St. Paul, Minn.

MACHINISTS AND SCREW MACHINE hands, for plant in So. Michigan; 40,000 population; 80 miles from Chicago; good wages to 1st class men; ideal working conditions; modern plant; replying state experience; fare paid if hired. Address L J 17, Tribune.

MACHINISTS—OF ALL KINDS, IN TOWN of 40,000; trans. advanced; good wages; chance to secure permanent position; state whether union or nonunion. Address J F 197, Tribune.

MAKEUP FOREMAN—COMPETENT, FAST, eight page evening daily, two machine plant; union; $23.50 per week, steady; state experience. News, Calumet, Mich.

MERCHANDISE PACKERS — EXPERIENCED.
CHAS. A. STEVENS & BROS., WABASH-AV., NORTH OF MADISON.

MECHANICAL ENGINEER—YOUNG MAN, technical graduate, with at least two years' experience; preferable one who has had experience in pipe and machine layouts and shop arrangement. Call at WESTERN ELECTRIC CO., 48th-av. and 24th-st.

MOLDERS AND COREMAKERS—STEEL, GRAY IRON, AND BRASS; NONUNION; STEADY WORK AT HIGHEST WAGES; OUT OF TOWN; TRANS. FURNISHED; STATE EXPERIENCE AND GIVE NAMES OF FORMER EMPLOYERS. ADDRESS P. O. BOX 28, CHICAGO.

NURSE—MALE, FOR PARALYTIC; $25 WK. Address H 518, Tribune.

PATCHERS—FIRST CLASS, ON PHONOgraph cabinets. Good wages; steady work. Apply the B. B. C. Co., Muskegon, Michigan.

RUBBERS—1ST CLASS, COARSE; ABLE TO do fine rubbing. Apply the B. B. C. Co., Muskegon, Mich.

SECOND MAN—FIRST CLASS, TO WORK on Ford cars; must know Fords and give references; wages $18 per week. J. E. BOYNTON & CO., Ottawa, Ill.

TOOL AND GAUGE MAKERS—300 WANTed; tool machine hands, die sinkers, and tool grinders; 100 drop forgers and steam hammermen; 200 automatic and hand screw machine operators and adjusters; 50 profilers; 25 A1 inspectors, experienced on machined parts; 20 braziers; 50 form toolmakers and 200 men experienced in making cutters; no labor troubles whatsoever; high wages; largest and most complete plant in the country; will employ 18,000 men when running full capacity; entire plant is equipped with new machinery of latest type; new buildings of most modern design, perfect light and sanitary conditions; we are increasing our force 2,000 men a month; write for application if you are a first class mechanic and interested in employment here.
Remington Arms and Ammunition Co., Boston and Seaview-avs., Bridgeport, Conn.

TOOL AND DIE MAKERS—STRICTLY HIGH grade, for precision work; good wages, transportation, and bonus; state age, experience, and give last 3 references. Address J A 410, Tribune.

TOOL INSPECTOR—HIGH GRADE MAN, with shop experience, as tool maker; permanent job and good pay; state age and places worked. Address J B 376, Tribune.

WOODWORKERS — EXPERIENCED ON wagon and automobile body work. PERRY-DOMARUS CO., 63-71 E. 31st-st.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED cabinet makers for auto body work. THE KISSEL MOTOR CAR CO., Hartford, Wis.

Farm and Garden Help.

MAN—AN HONEST, INDUSTRIOUS, SOBER tenant on my farm on salary or shares; answer own handwriting, exp., size family, ages, etc. Address H 562, Tribune.

Salesmen, Solicitors, Etc.

ADVERTISING SALESMEN.
HIGH GRADE MEN ONLY, to sell illustrated ads to bankers and merchants to use in their home paper; men now employed netting from $250.00 to $400.00 per month. We pay 50% commission, but make no advances. Quick returns for those who qualify. This is a splendid opportunity for men of selling ability who can finance themselves for a short time. Address D F 547, Tribune.

MAN—WANTED—BY A 2,500 BBL. MINNEsota flour mill, an experienced flour salesman, who has an established trade among the German and American bakeries. Write fully experience, etc. None other than experienced flour salesmen with established trade need apply. All communications kept strictly confidential. Address A T 328, Tribune.

MAN—TRAVELING IOWA AND ILLINOIS, to carry our line of women's Neckwear and Aprons on commission basis only. Apply with references. J. W. FREDERICK & CO., Boston, Mass.

MEN—WHO TRAVEL, TO BOOK MOTION picture films to exhibitors as side line. Popular Features, 804 Powers Bldg.

SALES MANAGER—MANUFACTURER OF A high grade office specialty has opening for first class sales manager capable of handling a country-wide distribution and making investment. Will require $8,000. References exchanged. Address G 335, Tribune.

SALESMEN—WHO CAN REALLY SHOW they are salesmen; sales are made every day; permanent; corporation doing national business; we have men making $100 to $200 per week; if you are in that class address C H 401, Tribune.

SALESMAN—STRONG, FORCEFUL TRAVeling salesman, who has backbone as a price-getter, to sell nationally known high grade line; hardware or general store experience preferred; liberal commission; expenses advanced to right party. Address L J 16, Tribune.

SALESMAN—A1, TO FOLLOW UP NEW leads on high class summer resort subdivision near Chicago. Salary $20 a week and commission. Address D H 317, Tribune.

SALESMAN—WITH EXPERIENCE, TO sell lubricating oils, paints, belting and hose, to auto owners, threshers, and mills through the country and small towns in this state. The American Oil and Paint Co., 8121 Hough-av., Cleveland, Ohio.

SALESMAN—ACQUAINTED WITH WHOLEsale grocers and paper houses in Ohio, Ind., and Ill.; must be experienced, sober, and a worker; references required; permanent position. Address J A 432, Tribune.

SALESMEN—TO SELL STOCK OF LARGE corporation throughout the States; salary and commission; good men can earn $500 to $1,000 month; reference. Call or write JOHN R. CAVANAGH, 19 S. La Salle-st., Chicago.

SALESMEN—TO TRAVEL CHICAGO ON "Veedol," a high grade Pennsylvania petroleum motor oil; write, stating experience and refs. Platt & Washburn Refining Co., Insurance Exchange Bldg.

SALESMEN—FOR THE BEST AGENCY CONTRACT WITH THE GREATEST LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY. SEE J. J. MACKAY, AGENCY ORGANIZER, 175 W. JACKSON-BLVD., ROOM 531.

SALESMAN—EXPERIENCED; IOWA AND Nebraska; ladies' dresses and waists; well known established house and trade; great opportunity for the right man; commission basis only. Address J J 553, Tribune.

SALESMAN—YOUNG MAN WITH ABILITY, willing to work for reasonable salary and expenses until he demonstrates his worth; good opportunity for advancement with well known house. Address H 394, Tribune.

SALESMEN WANTED—FOR CITY; CLEAN cut, bright hustler, to call on hotel and cafe trade. Eyster Linen Co., 430 S. Wabash-av., Chicago.

SALESMEN—COFFEE AND SPICE TRADE, all territories, to sell the well known Jank's Spice Book on commission, side line. Address JOS. K. JANK, St. Louis, Mo.

SALESMEN WANTED—ON ROAD; SIDE line; staple goods; sells to hotels; liberal com.; big sales; any territory; firm well known. Eyster Linen Co., 430 S. Wabash-av., Chicago.

SALES MANAGER—FOR WELL KNOWN Chicago manufacturing concern; salary not less than $5,000 per year; state age and experience. Address K 445, Tribune.

SALESMEN — ABSTAINERS, TO SELL stock in temperance and general ins. co.; commission, salary after first sale; leads given. 811 Morton Bldg., Chicago.

SALESMEN—EITHER SEX; HIGH CLASS articles; stores or house to house; 25c up $1.50; big profit. Monon Mfg. Co., 606 S. Dearb.

SALESMEN—EARN $50 WEEKLY SELLING collection cabinets to merchants; city or road. Write or call Sayers Mfg. Co., 20 E. Jackson.

SALESMEN—SIDE LINE; 1 PIECE UNION made overalls. L. Wiener, 604 12th-st., Chgo.

WANTED—MALE HELP.

Salesmen, Solicitors, Etc.

SALESMAN WANTED.
Well known Bitters and cordial house has vacancy in sales force for live wire; established trade; experienced man only; give references and full particulars or no attention. Address J J 412, Tribune.

SALESMEN — 4, FOR PERMANENT CONnection with an old established, highly rated firm, placing high grade proposition with retail merchants in towns and smaller cities; proposition is widely and favorably known throughout the United States, through high grade publicity; aggressive producers can make connection worth from five to eight thousand annually; unquestioned references as to character, ability, and temperate habits must be furnished; small bond required. Address L E 47, Tribune.

SALESMEN—WITH HEADQUARTERS AT St. Louis to cover Southern Illinois and parts of Missouri and Kentucky for a New York manufacturer of a line going to wholesale grocery and warehouse trade; state full previous record and experience, age, married or single, whether now employed, salary expected, etc.; no application considered unless first letter gives complete particulars; excellent opportunity for right man. Address JOBBER, 116 W. 32d-st., New York City.

SALESMEN—SUCCESSFUL, PROGRESSIVE wholesale tailoring house, specializing in popular priced tailoring, wants representative salesman with established trade among the better class of merchants; one acquainted in Iowa, Missouri, and Kansas preferred; only those with clean record and of demonstrated ability need apply; for such a man we have a good opening; state age, references, and full particulars, which will be held confidential. Address H 253, Tribune.

SALESMAN—PRINTING.
Good sized Chicago printing concern doing the best grade of booklet and catalogue work has an opening in its sales organization for a salesman that can show results; state full particulars, including salary. Address D S 113, Tribune.

SALES MANAGER—GROWING MANUFACturer has opportunity for high grade sales manager to take entire charge of sale and distribution of specialty reaching all classes of merchants. Must be a producer and able to make investment. Requires $3,000. References exchanged. Address G 344, Tribune.

SOLICITOR WANTED—TEA AND COFFEE. National Tea Co., 2715 W. North-av.

SPECIALTY TRAVELING SALESMEN—Who are capable of making $5,000 or more yearly. Men possessed of engaging personality and energy to sell our illustrated newspaper advertising service to banks and merchants. Exclusive territory on commission basis. Unique Illustrating Co., Tribune Bldg., New York City.

SPECIALTY MEN—3, GOOD, FOR GROCERY and drug trade in city; well advertised article; straight salary; write giving experience, reference, home address, and phone number. Address L D 415, Tribune.

STOCK SALESMEN—ON A GOOD PROPOSITION; liberal inducement. Call 414 S. Sangamon, Room C 1. Phone Haymarket 6182.

VARNISH SALESMAN
To represent old established firm in Illinois and Missouri. In answering give age, experience, references, and salary wanted. Correspondence strictly confidential. Address BLAINE-THOMPSON CO., Cincinnati, O.

WANTED.
A young man from 21 to 25 years of age, who has the qualifications to fit into an advertising sales organization where hard work and average intelligence bring success.

Previous sales experience not absolutely necessary, but will help. Applicant must be neat, aggressive, and possess good character and social standing.

Excellent co-operation is given a beginner and a moderate salary is paid to start.

The work is interesting and the experienced gained in our organization will be invaluable to you.

If you are a first class specimen of American manhood and want to join others of that type, give us the necessary information in your application to verify your qualifications; state exact age, whether married or single, and whether or not you have had preparatory or college education; your application will be treated in strict confidence and none of your references consulted without first interviewing you. Answer in your own handwriting.

Address J B 415, Tribune.

WANTED.
To get in touch with a live wire salesman, capable of going into Iowa selling a $30,000 7% preferred stock issued in an Iowa corporation showing large profits. Address L J 11, Tribune.

WANTED—BY SPECIALTY SHOE MANUfacturing house, experienced men to make larger towns in Middle West. Only successful men knowing dealers considered; short line, snappy styles, in stock; excellent opportunity; state age, experience, references. Address L J 18, Tribune.

WANTED—AT ONCE OR FOR MARCH 1ST, energetic, successful shoe salesmen who have had not less than 3 years' road experience selling shoes; one for Illinois, one for Indiana, one for Michigan; permanent positions for men who can qualify; salary or commission; applications confidential. Address D K 251, Tribune.

WE CAN USE CAPABLE SALESMAN WHO has had experience selling good products to the consumer; opportunity for advancement; salary and commission; references required. Jewel Tea Co., 1327 Washington-blvd.

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Agents

AGENTS—GLIDING CHAIR CASTERS, $3.00 per 100 sets; 15 sets free; gas lighters; $1.00 doz.; everready coffee strainers, 60c doz.; parcel post delivery. MILLS & MILLS, 802 Fisher Bldg., Chicago.

AGENTS—SALARY OR COMMISSION; greatest seller yet; every user pen and ink buys on sight; 200 to 500% profit; one agent's sales $620 in six days; another $32 in two hours. Monroe Mfg. Co., X 88, La Crosse, Wis.

HE WHO HAS THE MERRIEST XMAS IS the Davis agent. Join the happy throng for 1916. Postal puts you next. DAVIS CO., 224 N. Desplaines-st.

MAGAZINE AGENTS WANTED—400 PER cent profit; $5 day easy. Address D K 257, Tribune.

EVANS BLUEBIRD CLOTHESLINE REEL. Agents' best money maker. Buy direct. Evans Mfg. Co., 608 S. Dearborn-st., Chicago.

Miscellaneous.

JANITOR AND WIFE—CALL BETWEEN 3 and 4, southeast corner 39th-st. and Grand-blvd., in cigar store.

Help Wanted with Investment.

WANTED—MAN OF CHARACTER, WITH $1,500 to $3,000; work up in going Illinois corp.; mfg., jobbing; swamped with orders; $30 to $75 a week; give phone. Address H 81, Tribune.

MEN—TWENTY, FOR THEATER TICKET business. Commission basis. Must have working capital of $50. Apply at once. YOUNG, 72 W. Randolph-st.

MANAGER — CHICAGO MAIL ORDER house; rare opportunity for man with large ability and $1,000 to invest. Address J A 187, Tribune.

Employment Agencies.

ALL KINDS OF POSITIONS OPEN FOR high class and technical men.
EFFICIENT SERVICE CO., Room 1340, 53 W. Jackson.

JOBS—REAL JOBS FOR MEN AND BOYS, in Offices, Factories, Hotels, Restaurants, etc. ADVANCE EMPLOYMENT EXCHANGE, 2d Floor, 179 W. Washington-st.

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GOOD AND BETTER POSITIONS.
Call, Suite 801, Central Dept., 19 S. La Salle-st.
CLOSED ALL DAY.
MANY GOOD JOBS MONDAY.
LA SALLE AGENCY, 166 N. La Salle-st.

THE ENGINEERING AGENCY, INC., 1661-1662 Monadnock Block. Eng., Architectural, Manufacturing, Chemistry, Sales. 23d year.

WE NEED HIGH GRADE CLERICAL HELP. No advance fee. Terms reasonable. Merchants Cler. Exch., 912, 133 W. Wash.-st.

FRIENDS—
We wish you Christmas joy.
AMERICAN RAILWAY BUREAU.

WE PLACE HIGH GRADE MEN.
BUSINESS MEN'S CLEARING HOUSE, 323 Woman's Temple, 108 S. La Salle-st.

BOOKKEEPER, AGE 30, $18; STENOGRAPHER, $17; Multigraph Operator, $12. KING'S AGENCY, 29 S. La Salle-st.

TRADE SCHOOLS.

YOUNG MEN, LEARN THE AUTOMOBILE BUSINESS.
We teach construction, repairing, and driving. Six to eight weeks. Instruction in Acetylene Welding, Knight Engines, Vulcanizing, Electric Starters, and Automobile Salesmanship.
COURSES $35, $25, $50, $85, $150.
GREER COLLEGE OF MOTORING, 1519-1521 Wabash-av., Chicago, Ill.

ELECTRICITY, PLUMBING, BRICKLAYING, MOTION PICTURE OPERATING, DRAFTING taught by practical work. Small cost. Easy payments. Day and evening. COYNE TRADE SCHOOLS, 49 E. Illinois-st.

LEARN TO DESIGN AND CUT GARMENTS—WE TEACH THIS HIGH GRADE, BIG PAYING TRADE, DAY AND EVE.; SMALL COST. 208, 118 N. LA SALLE-ST. MASTER DESIGNING SCHOOL.

EXPERT MOTION PICTURE OPERATING taught on all machines; unexcelled equipment; catalogue free. NATIONAL SCHOOL, 133 N. La Salle.

BECOME A TRAINED AUTO SALESMAN; big demand; good money. Auto. Publishing Co., 612 Chamber Commerce, Detroit, Mich.

LEARN BARBER TRADE — EVERYTHING mod. Tri-City Barber College, 819 S. State.

TRADE SCHOOLS.

SALESMEN — EXPERIENCE UNNECESsary. Write or call for particulars and large list of openings. Earn $100 to $500 a month while you learn. Nat'l Salesmen's Training Assn., Suite 441 Monadnock Blk., Chicago.

TELEGRAPHY—
Jones' School of Telegraphy, 305 S. La Salle.
WIRELESS DEPARTMENT BUSH TEMPLE.

WANTED—FEMALE HELP.

Stores and Offices.

A FEW YOUNG WOMEN
FOR
LONG DISTANCE TELEPHONE WORK.
PERMANENT EMPLOYMENT.
WAGES ABOVE THE AVERAGE.
18 to 23 years of age, with at least a grammar school education. A good profession. Complete course of instruction is given, during which salary is paid, with steady advancement. Luncheon served without cost to the employes and every attention paid to welfare.
MISS HENDERSON,
Room 57, 230 W. Washington-st.

BOOKKEEPER AND STENOG.—MUST BE first class; pleasant office; state wages and experience. Address J D 414, Tribune.

CARD FILERS—WHO HAVE HAD EXperience in filing 3 by 5 or 4 by 6 cards alphabetically; must be quick and able to accurately file large number of cards. State age, experience, references and salary. Address J A 366, Tribune.

DICTAPHONE OPERATOR, TYPIST — OR one willing to learn. TYRO EQUIPMENT CO., 3856 GRAND-BLVD.

FILE GIRLS—BY WEST SIDE GENTILE mail order firm, accustomed to handling large volume correspondence, files, and capable doing various other general office duties; state age, experience, references and salary. Address J A 386, Tribune.

GIRLS—OVER 18 YEARS OLD, EXPERIENCED AT INSPECTING MERCHANDISE.
CHAS. A. STEVENS & BROS., WABASH-AV., NORTH OF MADISON.

GIRLS—OVER 16 YEARS OLD, FOR STOCK WORK.
CHAS. A. STEVENS & BROS., WABASH-AV., NORTH OF MADISON.

GIRLS — EXPERIENCED, FOR OFFICE WORK. CHAS. A. STEVENS & BROS., WABASH-AV., NORTH OF MADISON.

LADY—YOUNG; TO DO BILLING; UNDERwood machine; references required. Apply in person Monday Greenfield Tap and Die Corporation, 13 S. Clinton-st.

SALESWOMAN—A MICHIGAN-AV. SPEcialty shop requires the services of a head saleswoman, also two or three additional saleswomen. We prefer people with Michigan-av. experience, but it is not necessary. Applicants must be of good appearance, well dressed, must know the selling end of the cloak business perfectly. They must possess, above everything else, personality and tact. State your age, where you have been employed, salary, etc. Your communication will be held in strict confidence. Address J D 305, Tribune.

SALESWOMEN — FOR CLOAKS, SUITS, WAISTS, MUSLIN UNDERWEAR, CORSETS, KNIT UNDERWEAR, HOSIERY, GLOVES, AND HANDKERCHIEFS.
CHAS. A. STEVENS & BROS., WABASH-AV., NORTH OF MADISON.

STENOGRAPHER — EXPERIENCED; WHO can operate switchboard; living on Northwest Side; for brewery office; state age, references, and salary. Address J F 190, Tribune.

STENOGRAPHER—EXPERT; MUST BE A rapid and correct typist; work Sunday, Dec. 26th, ten to four; Underwood machine. Address J D 845, Tribune.

STENOGRAPHERS—2, COMPETENT; GIVE refs. and exp. Address H 443, Tribune.

WOMEN—EXPERIENCED, AS CASHIERS.
CHAS. A. STEVENS & BROS., WABASH-AV., NORTH OF MADISON.

Household and Domestic.

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MEETING IS ...

This is a story that will ... teachers—and many other ... It is a story about the spen... thing under a half million ... the story of the monthly sal...

Back in February, 1914, a ... cation, with a willing spir... sufficient pocketbook, gran... the teachers of the eleme... The board said the raises, ... about $120 a year for each te... become effective in January ... of the present trustees ca... the buck" to a future boar...

Loeb Revives I...

Jacob M. Loeb, president ... of education, mailed a speci... yesterday to every m... board of education. The le... the known financial facts. ... the board is bound toward ... of financial distress which ... county governments are no... the necessity of borrowing ... ... in advance of the co... taxes which make up the re...

Mr. Loeb placed the matte... fore the trustees. He said ... no recommendations. The ... moral duty, he stated, to ta... of the teachers. It has ano... cording to the letter, to k... system out of debt, and to ... crease in the tax rate which ... follow the borrowing system...

Special Meeting ...

A special meeting of the b... called for tomorrow afterno... an informal meeting in the ... fice to discuss this question... meeting of the board last W... journed until next Wednes... the trustees see fit, action...

If the board does not act ... the increases voted in 19... effect at that time. It is ... tion suspending the order... aries will be taken on We... the whole matter will be co... the budget for 1916 is prepa... least, is the plan advocat... the trustees, who are at a... what to do in the matter.

Mr. Loeb has been think... financial question for som... realized that the board m... Jan. 1 if it takes any actio... gard to the increases. ... want to worry 3,200 teacher... sibility of the stopping of a... which they expected to ge...

Text of the Le...

His letter follows:

"At the present time the ... cation is in a financial po... different from that of the ... county, in that at the beg... fiscal year it has a surplus ... the unexpected balance of ... year's taxes, while both th... county commence each yea... ceding year's taxes entirel...

"During the last year the ... convinced that there was a ... the educational taxes of the ... cation exactly as there ha... in taxes for city and count...

"This was not the fact, ... that there existed a defici... 1913 only in the cash asse... of education. In additio... board had taxes for educat... levied for the year 1915, ... lectible in 1916.

Bad Outlook for...

"It was a fact, however... current expenditures in 1... isting salary schedules in ... department of the board ... more than the receipts. ... ground a deficit could be a...

"It is also a fact that in... and in each succeeding ye... schedules continue in force... a constantly increasing ... penditures over cash asset... quent annual reduction ... surplus of the board, so ... short period the board wi... the condition in which are... county.

"When such time arrive... necessive to change salary... increase the taxes to me... needs.

"The problem for the bo... whether it will continue ...

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